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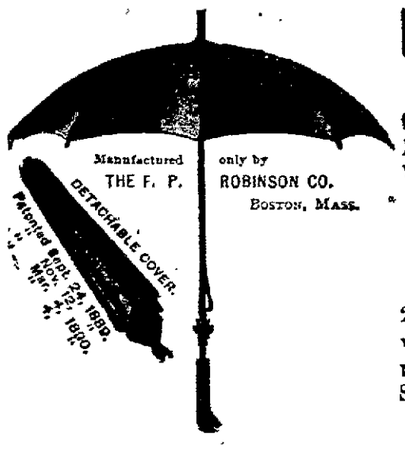

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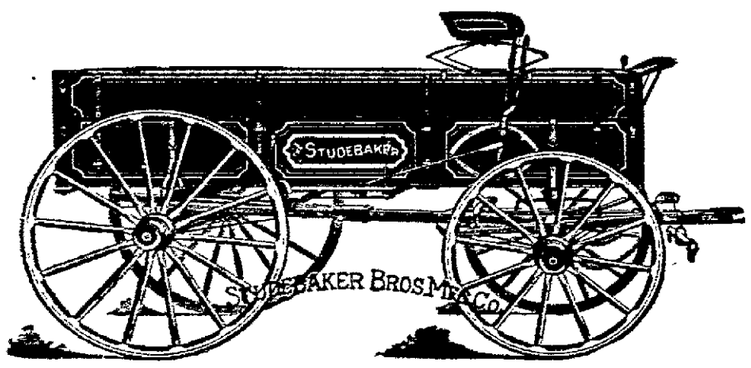

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IRISH-AMERICAN UNION.

Convention of the Organization Held Behind Closed Doors.

URGING MILITARY AFFILIATION.

"The Time Has Arrived When Irishmen Must Unite and Prepare for an Armed Struggle for the Independence of Their Country."

NEW YORK, June 17.—A special convention of the Irish-American military union was held yesterday in this city The convention assembled at 1 o'clock and remained in session until 6 o'clock. About 300 delegates were present from various sections of the country. The meeting was called for the purpose of adopting measures for the affiliation of all Irish-American military organizations with the union in view of probable exigencies in connection with the question of Ireland's independence and also to consider the advisability of having an encampment next year for the assembling of Irish-American troops from the different states.

The convention was called to order by the commander-in-chief, General William F. Kelly, after which the credentials of the delegates were examined. Among the national and staff officers present were General Henry Walsh of Washington, Adjutant General P. J. Keating of Newark N J., Paymaster General Patrick O'Brien of Philadelphia, Quartermaster General Martin Joyce of Scranton, Inspector General James B. Murphy of Philadelphia, Chief Assistant Adjutant General George Conway, Judge Advocate General Thomas H. Ronayne, Surgeon General Thomas B. O'Reilly, Commissary General Hugh Rodgers of Philadelphia, Chief Signal Officer Louis A. Busche of Philadelphia, Chief of Cavalry Colonel James H. Murphy, Chief Ordnance Officer Colonel John Hanks of Wilkesbarre, Chief of Artillery T. M. Dullard.

The following resolutions were presented and adopted:

"Whereas, The time has arrived when Irishmen must unite and prepare for a grand armed struggle for the independence of their country,

"Resolved, That we, delegates of the Irish-American union, in convention assembled, hereby invite all Irish-American military organizations in the United States to affiliate with this union to the end that have one purpose in view, that we may be in a position to take concerted action at all times, and may establish such a brotherhood of affection as will, in its strength, be capable of effective work towards securing Ireland, independence. That we furthermore invite such organizations to appear with us in camp at Bridgeport, Conn., in the summer of 1896, when there will be opportunity for military evolutions on a grand scale."

It was also agreed that French, Polish and Hungarian military bodies in sympathy with the Irish movement be permitted to join the union. The Philadelphia signal corps, commanded by Colonel Busche, and the Lafayette Guards of Brooklyn, Captain L. Grass, have signified their desire for affiliation. Resolutions were adopted tendering the gallant patriots of Cuba their heartiest wishes for triumph of their cause. A resolution expressing regret at the retirement from the office of quartermaster general of colonel Henry Boylan, of Philadelphia, and tendering him thanks for his earnest labors for many years to promote the interests of the union was also adopted

The convention, which was held behind closed doors, then adjourned after five hours' deliberation.

$2,000,000 Already Raised for the Cause.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 17.—The Irish-American club, composed of 300 of the most influential Irishmen in the city, approve of the movement which is secretly under way throughout the United States looking to the emancipation of Ireland by a resort to arms. The club has raised several thousand dollars for the emancipation fund, and one of the members is authority for the announcement that nearly $2,000,000 has already been raised in the United States It is announced that some time this summer the sympathizers with the movement will hold a national convention, probably in Baltimore or Boston.

Wild Car Carried Death.

ELKINS, W Va., June 17.—An accident occurred on the Dry Fork railroad, building from Hendricks to Womelsdorf, in which four men were killed. A party of railroad workmen wishing to ride to their homes boarded a freight car, loaded with lumber, and started it down the grade to the Dry Fork crossing. The car got beyond their control, and finally all jumped. About a mile below the car came upon a hand car loaded with workmen. Before any could jump the two cars came together. The men on the hand car were hurled into the air and mangled by the other car. The killed are: John Dailey, married; Michael Ketterman, unmarried; Felix Ray, single, and Solomon Willoughby. Michael Darin, the other person on the car, miraculously escaped with a few bruises.

Fatal Riot at an Entertainment.

ASHVILLE, June 17.—At Tally Station, in Marshall county, while a school entertainment was in progress a terrible fight occurred, resulting in the death of one man and the serious cutting and beating of several others Claude Pylant and Autrey Watson renewed an old feud, fought, and, both were dangerously wounded. Friends of both joined in the fight, using sticks, knives, stones and razors. Pylant died yesterday and four others are in a serious condition The neighborhood is greatly excited.

AN IRATE HUSBAND.

Stabs His Wife to Death and Mortally Wounds Her Alleged Paramour.

LOUISVILLE, June 17.—Arthur Gourdin, a shoemaker living at Rowlinton, a suburb of Pewee Valley, eighteen miles from this city on the Louisville and Nashville railroad, shot and probably fatally wounded Thomas Murphy and then stabbed his wife to death last night. Gourdin suspected Murphy of being intimate with his wife, and had evidently waited for an opportunity to settle the score.

This opportunity came last evening when Murphy was passing Gourdin's house on horseback. Gourdin was sitting on his porch, and when Murphy came up Gourdin drew a revolver and commenced firing, wounding Murphy in several places and killing his horse under him. Mrs. Gourdin rushed out of the house and her husband told her to go away, but she refused to do so, and he then hit her several times with the butt of his revolver, driving her back into the house, where he seized a knife and stabbed her eleven times, killing her almost instantly.

The dead woman leaves four children, ranging in ages from 1 to 13 years. Gourdin was arrested and placed in jail at La Grange.

WHOLE TOWN IN DANGER.

The Town of Audenried Settles and Its Citizens Are Frantic.

HAZLETON, Pa., June 17.—The supporting pillars in the Beaver Brook mine began to give way during the night, and the town of Audenried, which is built immediately over it, is thrown into a state of wildest excitement. The gangways of the mine are 600 feet below the surface, and a total collapse means the complete destruction of the town.

The people were warned of the peril by fissures and openings which appeared in the earth between the hotel and the company store and immediately beneath the houses of the most prominent townspeople. Several buildings careened to one side, throwing their occupants from their beds. People were frantic, and pandemonium reigned throughout the town. The openings in the earth continue to become wider and more numerous, and a total collapse is momentarily looked for.

Nobody thought of saving household effects, and these are left in the houses. Among the houses destroyed are those of Mine Superintendent D. R. Roberts, General Manager H. E. Lubken, John McGee and William Bailey.

Lazzarone Wins the Suburban.

NEW YORK, June 15.—A brilliant assemblage of 15,000 persons paid tribute to the American thoroughbred by thronging the grounds of the Coney Island Jockey club at Sheepshead Bay on Saturday to see the twelfth Suburban handicap decided. All came with the expectation of witnessing the triumph of the favorite, Domino, and in no former year had such a decided favorite been slated for any of the great races of the season. The result of the contest was a great surprise. Domino collapsed utterly three furlongs from home and was no better than fourth at the finish, while victory perched upon the colors of the Erie stable, their 4-year-old, Lazzarone, by Spendthrift, out of Spinaway, winning most decisively, while the Oneck stable's Sir Walter was second and the Blemton stable's Song and Dance was third. Time, 2:07 4-5.

Fatal Head-End Collision.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 17.—A head-end collision occurred yesterday morning between two passenger trains on the Charleston and Savannah railroad at Yemassee. The engines telescoped and were completely wrecked. Engineer Black jumped as the collision came, breaking his leg. Four unknown colored tramps who were stealing a ride on the front trucks were ground and cut to pieces. The mail car of one train was torn to shreds, but Mail Clerks C. P. Croft and J. P. Beard escaped injuries. The passengers were terribly shaken up and thrown about, but escaped serious harm. The wreck occurred through the negligence of an operator in giving orders.

A Lynching Prevented.

MT. STERLING, Ky., June 17.—Deputy Police Charles Evans, who was shot Saturday night by John Johnson, the negro ex-convict, died yesterday. As soon as Evans died a mob began a journey to the jail with the intention of lynching Johnson, but the officers prevailed, and after Judge Cooper made an immediate order to hold a special term of court June 28 to try Johnson the mob dispersed. Evans had just been married to Mrs Ida Langston, whose first husband was killed about five years ago by Samuel Everett.

Death of Valentine Ball.

LONDON, June 17.—Valentine Ball, LL. D., F. R. S., is dead. Valentine Ball was born in Dublin, July 14, 1843. He graduated from the University of Dublin as a master of arts in 1872. In the year 1881, on the completion and opening to the public of the new museum of science and art in Dublin, he was appointed to the companionship of the bath. He wrote several works upon the geology of India and accounts of his explorations in Afghanistan, Belochistan, the Andaman and Nicobar islands.

The Baby Was Killed.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 17.—While John W. Evans and Mrs. Isaac Edwards and her baby were out driving the horse became frightened and ran away. The buggy was overturned and all three were thrown out The baby was killed and Evans and Mrs. Edwards were badly injured.

Had Secreted the Money in His Shoe.

VINELAND, N. J., June 17.—Frank Potter gave Nick Brown, a tramp, lodging, and when the former awoke the tramp was gone and $88 were missing. Two men started in pursuit of the tramp. He was caught and the money was found in his shoe.

Fell from a Cherry Tree to His Death.

PITTSBURG, June 17.—Thomas Compton, 45 years old, while picking cherries for J. E Schwartz in the east end fell from a tree and was killed his neck being broken.

LANDED ON CUBAN SOIL

An Important Expedition from Key West Arrives Safely.

MEN, GOLD AND AMMUNITION

Brought by the Vessel, Which Was Chased Twice by Spanish Cruisers, but Succeeded in Out Steaming Her Pursuers—Marti Was Betrayed.

GAINESVILLE, Fla., June 17.—The following letter, written by Major F. P. Hann, of the Cuban army, has been received by a friend in this city. Major Hann was formerly from Pennsylvania, and has been in the Cuban service three months. The letter is as follows:

"ARENSAS RIVER, Cuba, June 10.—The most important expedition that has reached Cuban soil from the United States was landed to-day. It consists of 100 men, 1,000 repeating rifles, 2,000,000 rounds of ammunition and $250,000 in gold, under command of Colonel Hernandez. The vessel which conveyed them left Key West June 6, and sailed for Bahia Island, where it took on the men and cargo. She was chased twice by Spanish cruisers, but managed to outsteam them and arrived here before day this morning.

"We are now making arrangements to join Gomez at Tunas, province of Camaguey, where he has his headquarters. We have a march of about forty miles before us, but hope to join him on the 12th. The landing was protected by a battalion of troops from Gomez's army, who hope to rejoin him without serious fighting, as no Spanish soldiers are in this immediate neighborhood.

"I am just recovering from attack of yellow fever, but shall risk joining my command again. We have positive news that Marti is dead. He was betrayed into Spanish hands by a trusted Cuban guide and shot down in cold blood before he could escape. I hope to have more definite news of his death and other matters as soon as I rejoin my command."

Spain is said to have paid $18,000 for Marti's assassination.

Many small armed bands are in the vicinity of Havana. Martinez Campos awaits more troops from Spain at Nuevitas Masso. Antonio Maceo, Miro and other leaders, with 2,000 men, are near Gibara in possession of a small town. They had a fierce battle between Gibara and Holgin on a railway bridge, which was afterwards burned. A convoy has been captured. Many prisoners were taken and a large sum of money was captured.

Guanabeco, an hour's ride by rail from Havana, is greatly excited by the appearance of strange ships in the offing. General Arderius, second commander of the Spanish forces, has ordered a concentration of troops to prevent a landing of filibusters Cuanitas, near Santiago, was burned by the insurgents under Major Duran on the 8th. Oliva, the guide that is claimed to have assassinated Marti, is in the Hospital Principe Alfonso, wounded dangerously in the left breast with a rifle ball, said to have been inflicted in battle, but it is thought the Cubans tried to kill him.

Insurgents Put to Flight.

HAVANA, June 17.—A small band of troops at Isabel Catolica went in pursuit of the insurgents and found their cavalry upon the river at Guia. The troops charged and delivered a hot fire, which obliged the insurgents to retire. They lost their arms and horses besides four of their number dead and six wounded. Of the troops, one was killed and two were wounded. At Campechuela near Manzanilla, ten insurgents have surrendered. Five insurgents, negroes, set fire to the village of San Vicente de Cuba and burned three houses. A small band from San Antonio, Banos and Havana closely pursued them.

Lynchers Thwarted.

BALTIMORE, June 17.—Richard Cadle, a carpenter, who was arrested Saturday at Catonsville charged with enticing Mary Gross daughter of Conrad Gross, and harboring her for immoral purposes, was brought to Baltimore to save him from the attack of a crowd of residents of Catonsville who were masquerading as whitecaps. Fifteen minutes after the officer had left with his prisoner the crowd attacked the building They broke down the door, and were much enraged when they found that their prey had escaped.

Murdered at a Church Festival.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., June 17.—At a country church festival Saturday night there was a fight. Creed Harvey, a well known citizen, was shot through the heart, dying instantly. Mrs. Amy Lunsford was seriously injured by being struck on the head with a stone Jack Ward and Rhoda Perdue, the murderers, leaped through a window and escaped to the woods. A large posse are now scouring the country for them.

Trenton Potters Will Return to Work.

TRENTON, June 17.—The sanitary ware potters met yesterday to receive the report of the committee appointed to present the men's demands to the manufacturers. The committee reported that the manufacturers have agreed to the proposed new scale practically as presented. It provides for increases ranging from 10 to 40 per cent. The men will return to work as soon as the new scale is signed.

Theater Fire in New York.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Jacobs' theater, on Third avenue, was almost completely destroyed by fire this morning at 12:14, from some unknown cause. A rough estimate of the loss of the theater and contents is put at $200,000 The buildings adjoining are estimated to be damaged and partially destroyed at a loss of $100,000.

Closed by Atlantic City's Mayor.

ATLANTIC CITY, June 17.—The Turkish theater, on the boardwalk, to which objections were raised on the Midway Plaisance at Chicago has been closed by Mayor Stoy, on the ground that it is an indecent exhibition.

A MURDER UNEARTHED.

While the Funeral Is in Progress the Real Cause of Death Is Discovered.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 17.—Anthony Gimites, aged 30 years, has been arrested for the murder of Andrew Yocksta. Yocksta kept a boarding house, where Gimites lived, and, it is said, the latter had tried to persuade Mrs. Annie Yocksta, the wife of Andrew, to elope with him. The men worked in adjoining chambers in the Blackman mine, and last Friday Gimites appeared at the foot of a shaft and cried out that Yocksta had been killed by a fall of coal. The body was found and was to have been buried yesterday, but suspicion had been aroused, and an examination revealed three bullet wounds.

A number of persons had gathered at the house and one of them who had helped to prepare the body for burial remarked that it was not badly bruised, considering the quantity of coal and rock that had fallen on it. A physican present overheard the remark and decided to investigate the matter. The room was cleared of mourners and the body lifted from the coffin and examined. Three bullet holes were found, one in the forehead and two in the breast. The funeral was postponed and Anthony Gimites was arrested for the crime.

Gimities was the only man in the mine at the time Yocksta was reported to have been killed. It is believed that he murdered the man in the chamber and then barred down a lot of coal on the body to make the death appear accidental.

THE HARLEM SHIP CANAL.

The New Waterway Will be Formally Opened Today.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Today with the booming of cannon, bursting of rockets and the cheering of thousands the Harlem ship canal, which is to unite the water of the Hudson with Long Island sound, will be formally opened to traffic. At the celebration Governor Morton and staff, Governor Werts of New Jersey and staff, and the mayors of New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, Yonkers, Mount Vernon and other cities will take part, and with the mammoth marine parade and the picturesque procession on land the opening of the new waterway will be fittingly observed.

The federal government will be represented by a number of warships. The Atlanta will be stationed at the eastern end of the canal, and the Cincinnati at the western or southern end. At the beginning and at the ending of the ceremonies the two warships will boom forth salutes. As the first salute is fired two barrels of fresh water, one from Lake Champlain and the other from Lake Superior, will be emptied into the salt water of the canal to typify the union with the great lake system.

Fourteen Killed in a Death Chamber.

VIENNA, June 15.—Seventy people gathered yesterday in the death chamber of a young man at Rovigno, a seaport town of Austria, on the west coast of Istria, in the vicinity of the Adriatic sea The flooring of the chamber collapsed, and all fell to the ground floor and thence into a deep cellar, the walls of the house falling on top of the unfortunate victims. All the inhabitants of the town hurried to the spot, the fire brigade was called out and the soldiers in the town also rushed to the scene. All united in efforts to remove the debris. This being done revealed the fact that fourteen of the mourners had been killed and thirty injured. The unhappy young woman who had been the fiancee of the deceased man was found dead in the ruins close to the coffin.

Serious Runaway Accident.

VINELAND N. J., June 17.—Four persons were injured in a runaway accident here last evening. One of the injured may die. The animal took fright on Main avenue and plunged down a steep embankment near the bridge. The carriage contained George Berry, his wife, Mrs Hines, mother of Mrs Berry, and a nephew of Mrs Berry. All are residents of Millville.

Boat Capsized, Two Drowned.

NORFOLK, Va. June 17.—A Sunday frolic cost two citizens of Norfolk their lives. Shortly before daybreak Dennis O Brien, Harry Smith, James Dunlary, John Messina and Harry Story started down the river in a small sailboat on a fishing trip Their boat was capsized and the men thrown into the water O Brien and Story were caught beneath the boat and drowned.

Well Known Lawyer and Jurist Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—Judge Felix P. Poche, well known as a lawyer and jurist, died yesterday, aged 59 years. Judge Poche was one of the founders of the American Bar Association In 1880 he was appointed associate justice of the supreme court of Louisiana, and served a full term of ten years.

Has Arrived at Kiel.

KIEL, June 17.—The United States squadron, which will take part in the ceremonies attending the opening of the North Sea Baltic canal, entered the harbor on Saturday. The American war ships saluted on passing Friedrichsort at the entrance of the harbor, and the shore batteries replied.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

The czar has conferred on President Faure of France the collar of the Order of St. Andrew.

Mont McCullough in a fit of jealousy shot and killed his wife at Jacksonville, Tex. He afterwards blew out his brains.

"Gail Hamilton" gains strength daily. At the present rate of improvement she will probably be taken to Massachusetts by the first of July

Jennie L Luby is suing for a divorce from her husband, Captain John P. Luby, of the Louisville National League ball team. The charge is desertion.

It is rumored that China has not yet agreed to the Russo-Chinese loan operation, fearing that the terms of the guarantee will make it difficult to obtain the remainder of the money required for the indemnity.

WORK OF ORE THIEVES.

Colossal System of Stealing in a Colorado Mine.

CARRIED OUT BY THE MINERS.

Half the Output Taken Away During Some Months by an Organized Gang of Robbers—The Mine Closed Indefinitely Pending an Investigation.

DENVER, June 17.—Such a colossal system of thieving from the rich Golden Fleece mine, at Lake City, Hinsdale county, has been unearthed that it is announced the company will indefinitely close down while an investigation is in progress. To such an extent had the stealing proceeded that thousands of dollars' worth of rich gold bearing ore every month had been carried off by the company's operatives. An amount equal to half the output of the mine has been stolen during several months. This would mean a loss to the concern of $20,000 monthly. The method of the thieves was to carry off small pieces of the ore on quiting their work, and then ship their stealings to other points, or sell them in Lake City.

The Fleece is owned in Denver, but in the same district there are extensive properties owned by eastern capitalists, notably the Suffolk mine, which is one of the leading dividend payers of southwestern Colorado. The stock of the latter company is owned in Hartford, but is not affected, unless it should be discovered that the robberies are the result of an organized effort of the miners in the district. The Fleece paid its June dividend at the regular rate of two cents a share, but the directors have decided that monthly payments will be suspended until they find out the extent of their losses.

In an interview one of the officials of the company makes the statement that at times the amount stolen has exceeded one-half of their monthly output. If such be the case this robbery becomes stupendous, as the output of this bonanza mine has averaged at least $40,000 per month. These colossal figures seem possible only when the extraordinary richness of their high grade ore is taken into consideration.

The company has announced a reward of $1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of every person implicated in these robberies.

The managers insist that there has been an organized gang at work making shipments to various parts of the state, and even to Mexico, from where the ore was reshipped to the smelters. They say they will run down every member of the gang if it costs them $50,000 to do so. They have placed sentinels at all the workings to prevent further thefts.

Some time ago the Victor, of Cripple Creek, felt called upon to discharge its entire force because of similar pilfering of high grade ore, which amounted to thousands of dollars The plan of having but one entrance to these high grade mines and of a rule that the working force going in and going out shall make a complete change of clothing will probably follow as the only corrective measure for this evil, which has been growing in recent years.

Murdered in Her Bed.

RALEIGH, June 17.—Mrs. E S. Pollard, wife of a farmer living near Oxford, was murdered in her home. Mr. Pollard had left the house for an hour, and on his return found his wife's body with the skull crushed by blows. The house had been robbed of $80 in gold. A negro woman who had been left with Mrs. Pollard was arrested, and the evidence against her is very strong. Two other negro women and a white man were also arrested.

Drowned While Trying to Rescue His Son.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 17.—W. H Kerr, of Rchester, Howard county, Md., was drowned from his yacht Watanga yesterday afternoon in attempting to save his 6-year-old son, who had fallen overboard. The boy was rescued by Captain Burtis, of Annapolis, and Mr. Kerr's body was recovered soon after. Mrs. Kerr and a party of friends were aboard the boat.

Murdered for His Watch.

HAZLETON, Pa., June 17.—When William Cummings, of Mahanoy City, tried to sell a watch at Stockton Joseph Comitz claimed the timepiece as his property. Comitz endeavored to secure possession of the watch, and a fight resulted, during which Cummings shot his opponent in the head. Comitz died in a few hours.

Acting President of Nicaragua.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, June 17.—Vice president Franco Baca H. Just has been installed as president of Nicaragua, in the temporary absence of President Zelaya at Amapala, to confer with the presidents of Honduras, Salvador and probably Guatemala, as to the formation of a league of Central American states.

Drowned in the Schuylkill.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—Edward A. Shevlin, aged 24 years, was drowned in the Schuylkill river yesterday by the capsizing of a rowboat occupied by him and three companions, two of whom were girls The others were rescued. They were all members of a picnic party.

Death in His Bootleg.

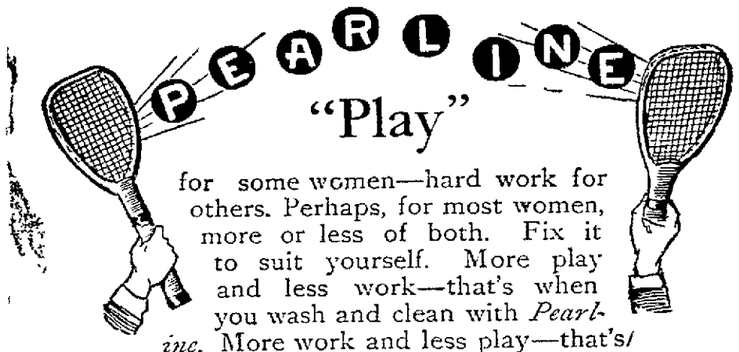
LANCASTER, Pa., June 17.—During the night Samuel Keefer, an inmate of the almshouse, rolled out of bed while suffering from an attack of epilepsy His face ran into the leg of his boot that lay upon the floor, and he was suffocated.

Traders Murdered by Natives.

SYDNEY, N S W., June 17.—The natives of the Solomon islands have murdered two traders Head hunting is rampant in the island. The British admiral there has been ordered to repress the excesses.

The American Bicyclist Won.

VIENNA, June 17.—At the Austrian bicycle derby yesterday the American bicyclist Banker was first, the Viennese Ehinger second and the British rider, Barden, was third.



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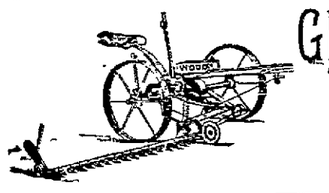

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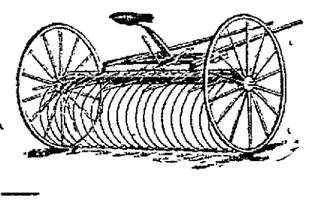

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A DARK HORSE.

Don Dickinson Said to Aspire to the Presidential Chair.

In the gossip of Washington Don Dickinson has loomed up as a possible candidate in 1896. His friends believe this is the significance of his recent speech concerning the foreign policy of this government.

If Dickinson is really out for the presidential nomination, he will prove a formidable competitor. His geographical situation is considered advantageous. He will have the support of the administration to a large degree. It is an open secret that Dickinson has more influence with Cleveland than any other living man, not excepting Dan Lamont or Secretary Gresham. He is nearer "the old man," as officials speak of the president, than Whitney ever was. He maintains his influence with Mr. Cleveland, too, without loss of self respect, for he is quite as frank and positive in his dealings with Mr. Cleveland as with any one else.

Dickinson declined to be secretary of state in this administration, and it has all along been understood by his friends that he did so for the purpose of making some money during the four years and of holding himself in an independent attitude with 1896 in view. He is a man of wonderful energy, of great executive ability and of a certain sort of enthusiasm which wins fast friends and is generally dubbed "magnetism." He has been described as a man who makes it a rule not to talk about things, but to do them. If he comes out as a presidential aspirant, the Gorman crowd will at once whip out its knife, for there is no love to be lost between Gorman and Dickinson.—Chicago Times-Herald.

WILD RIDE ON THE CARS.

Wonderful Escape of a Brakeman on a Runaway Train.

The Southern Pacific road recently experienced one of the wildest runaways known in Pacific coast railroading. Crafton, a suburb of Redlands, is the terminus of the Redlands branch of the Southern Pacific, and though the ice factory near Crafton is but three miles away it is over 600 feet above Redlands, the road having the heaviest grade on the Pacific coast.

While two freight cars were being switched at the icehouse the brake chain gave way, and the cars started down the grade, soon reaching a terrific speed. Brakeman Frank Vetters was the only man on the cars. He stood at his post as they flew through and across the business streets here.

On reaching the freightyard they took different tracks. The one on which Vetters was riding overturned, a corner was buried in the ground for a second, and then the entire car jumped into the air, not touching the ground for over 50 feet, meanwhile turning end over and landing bottom up.

Vetters was seen to leave the car at the point where it first struck the ground. He shot through the air and was picked up 180 feet away. It seems marvelous that he had but two broken bones, and there is no evidence that his injuries will prove fatal. His jaw and ankle are broken, and he is badly cut and bruised, but he did not lose consciousness.

The fact that the ice in the cars was driven through the ends and sent 1,000 feet down the track below the wreck is an evidence of the terrible speed attained by the cars.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Sensations From Arkansas.

It comes from Ouachita county, Ark., that Louisiana farmers have been kidnaping negroes and working them on their plantations as slaves. It is said that a band of white men is operating in that section who make a business of driving Arkansas negroes into Louisiana, and that in their raids they seize on any colored man they may chance to meet and haul him across the line. In some instances these kidnapers have been seen driving before them like so many sheep a bunch of negroes with their arms pinioned and tied together. These reports read like the sensational stories of wild and unreliable young men.—Galveston News.

A Floral Curiosity

Mrs. T. Arbour of Baton Rouge has sent to the New Orleans Times-Democrat a floral curiosity. It is a small white rose of an exceedingly fragrant variety, from the center of which is growing a perfectly formed twin bud, which stands almost an inch above the petals of the full blown flower. In other words, the twin bud seems to have sprung out of the main stem and pushed its way through the center of the larger bloom in its struggle for existence. Mrs. Armour says that she has cultivated many roses, but has never before seen such a peculiar floral freak, and that all of the florists to whom it has been shown pronounce it a great curiosity.

Is Marriage a Failure?

Have you been trying to get the best out of existence without health in your family? Have you been wearing out your life from the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion? Are you sleepless at night? Do you awake in the morning feeling languid, with coated tongue and sallow, haggard look? Don't do it. A shout in the camp tells how Bacon's Celery King has cured others, it will cure you. Trial package free. Large sizes 50 cents and 25 cents at J. J. Chambers, West Main Street.

Something From a Gloversville Mother.

"I have a baby eighteen months old and I write to say I have used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and also Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and am glad to let others know that I think them splendid Children's Remedies.—Mrs. Jeremiah J. Ellegate, 18 Smith avenue, Gloversville, N. Y." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion are sold by all druggists for 25c

A THEORY.

Why do the violins shudder so
When across them is drawn the bow,
Sob for anguish and wild despair?
Human souls are imprisoned there.

Souls are shut in the violins,
They are the souls of Philistines,
But the Philistines, row on row,
Soulless sit and they do not know.

But they brandish their eyeglasses,
Stare at each other's evening dress,
Scrutinize form or brilliant hue,
Say, "Is it rouge or is it true?"

"Some one was flat a semitone,
And how stout the soprano's grown!
Isn't the bass a dear? And, oh,
Do look at Mrs. So and-so!"

Still the musicians play serene,
As though Philistines had not been,
But their souls in the violins
Mourn on latterly for their sins.

Call them wildly and call in pain,
Call them with longing deep and vain,
And with infinite tenderness,
Since they can give them no redress.

Since not one of them is aware
Here is he and his soul is there,
In the music's divinest chord,
Making melody to the Lord.

So how often in life and art
Soul and body must dwell apart—
Great is the master's soul, no doubt—
Twenty Philistines go without.

Are we body or are we soul?
Little matter upon the whole.
Human soul in the violin,
Save me at last, a Philistine!

—May Kendall.

SPOONING PARTIES.

How These Commendable Aids to Matrimony Should Be Conducted.

"Spooning" parties are popular in some quarters. They take their name from a good old English word which was intended to ridicule the alleged fantastic actions of a young man or a young woman who is in love. For some reason, which no one ever could explain, everybody pokes fun at the lover. In fact, that unhappy character is never heroic in real life, no matter what great gobs of heroism are piled about him on the stage, and in all the romantic story books. The girl in love and the boy in love are said to be "spoony."

When a "spooning" party is given, the committee in charge of the event receives a spoon from each person who attends, or else presents each guest with a spoon. These spoons are fancifully dressed in male and female attire, and are mated either by the similarity of costume or by a distinguishing ribbon. The girls and boys whose spoons are mates are expected to take care of each other during the continuance of the social gathering.

Of course the distribution of the spoons is made with the greatest possible carefulness, the aim being to so place them as to properly fit the case of the young people to whom they are presented. The parties are usually given by the young people of some neighborhood where the personal preference of each spoony is well known, and they are the source of no end of fun. It is possible also that they serve as aids to matrimony as well, and are therefore commendable, since an avowal is made more easy to a diffident swain after he feels that his passion is not a secret, but that his weakness for a "spoony" maiden is known to his friends and enemies on the committee which dispenses the spoons. It may be mentioned that after the spoons have been distributed among the guests, each couple retires for consultation regarding the reasons which caused the award of mated spoons in their case. This consultation is known by the name of "spooning."—St. Louis Republic.

A Clever Way to Get a Dinner.

I happened to be one of a party of six dining the other night at an up town restaurant. Most of us were strangers to each other, having met only in the afternoon in the course of business. There were a banker, a politician, a lawyer, a theatrical manager and a something else. I do not yet know what, in the company. The something else made himself exceedingly agreeable. He was, in fact, the life of the party. He was politeness itself, and his wit and epigrams were fetching. After dinner he rather suddenly and mysteriously dropped out of sight and was missed.

"Who was the gentleman?" I asked of the theatrical manager.

"I'm sure I don't know," he replied. "I thought he was a friend of yours."

"No, I never saw him before. I supposed he was a friend of yours," I said. Then I put the same question to each of the others and found that the man was unknown to any of the party. He had simply invited himself to dine with us, behaved like a jolly good fellow and disappeared at the right moment. The only thing we have against him is that he forgot to pay his bill.—New York Press.

A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the head, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Byron used a great deal of hairdressing, but was very particular to have only the best to be found in the market. If Ayer's Hair Vigor had been obtainable then, doubtless he would have tested its merits, as so many distinguished and fashionable people are doing now-a-days.

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Use All the Tobacco You Want Till Your "Craving" is Gone.

NARCOTI CURE is the only remedy in the world that acts directly on the nerves and drives the nicotine from the system in from four to ten days. It leaves the patient in better health than before taking, and is warranted free from any injurious ingredients.

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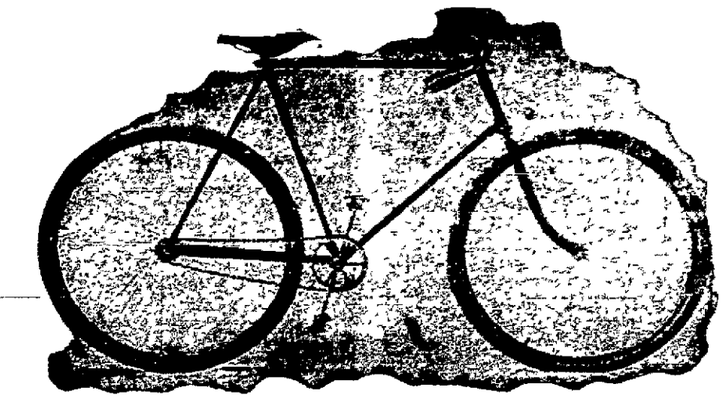

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A TRAMP MURDERED.

"The Smug Faced Pug" Killed by "The Harlem Sparrow," at Highland Falls.

A tramp was found lying by the roadside, near Highland Falls, Saturday night, with three deep knife wounds in the neck and a fractured skull. He died three hours later.

Investigation showed that the dead tramp had been about the village during the day with two companions. One of them, named Currans, was found who said that the dead man, whom he knew only as "Smug Faced Pug," had been stabbed by the other tramp, "The Harlem Sparrow," who had gone down the river.

The "Sparrow" was arrested at Hauerstraw, last evening, and brought back to Highland Fall, and held on a charge of murder. A knife with a broken blade, which he is supposed to have used in stabbing the "Pug" was found on him. Currans was held as a witness.

SELLS BROTHERS' SHOW.

Wait for the Largest Tented Exhibition on Earth.

Sells Bros. Grand Titanic Tented Colussus, bigger, greater, better, richer, finer and more sumptuous in every detail than any other aggregation in America. Other shows may come and go, but Sells Bros. Enormous United Exhibitions, like Tennyson's Book, seem destined to "go on forever." They have already been under one and the same ownership and management longer than any other similar enterprise now in existence, and their continual increase in size, attractiveness and popularity is a fair sign of health and longevity. The Messrs. Sells Bros. are legitimate, enterprising showmen and honorable men, with whom it is both pleasurable and profitable to do business. As such, both they and their stupendous and elegant entertainment will be presented at Middletown, Thursday, June 27th.

For their present tour, their wild beast, hippodramatic, circus, spectacular and other resources of instruction and amusement have been largely increased, and they undoubtedly present altogether the biggest and best show of its kind in the world. The three colossal circuses, fifty-cage menagerie, Roman hippodrome races, huge elevated stages, Australian aviary, gladiatorial combats, caravan of trained animals and street parade, contain more than enough strange sights, thrilling races, sensational acts and glowing pageants for a whole carnival week. Nor does mere quantity banish quality from the colossal tents. Such features as educated giant kangaroos, educated seals and sea lions, rooster orchestra, the flock of ostriches, and the pair of giant hippopotami are not to be found elsewhere. The hippodrome contests are of the most exciting character, the performances phenomenal. Make ready for a glorious holiday. This season the big show of the world has reduced the admission from fifty to twenty-five cents, including a seat to every visitor. Be in town early and see the grand street parade at 10 o'clock on the day of the exhibition. Seating capacity 12,000. Excursion rates on all lines of travel.

A Beverage for Wheelmen.

Next to being lost at sea there is nothing that brings on the pangs of thirst quicker than bicycle riding. The hot sun and the constant inhalation of dust quickly parches the throat and makes the biker long for the next stop for refreshments. The wise rider avoids ice water, well knowing its danger. Alcoholic beverages are likewise tabooed because of their heating propensities, and there is little satisfaction in wishy-washy stuff sold under the broad classication of "soft drinks." A well-known wheelmen, in speaking of this, said:

"What to drink is no easy problem to a man on a long, hot run. The only drink I know really fit for a bicycle rider is Hire's Rootbeer, carbonated. There are but few places now at which it cannot be had, and I tell you it braces one right up, seems to go right down to the bottom of your pedal workers. It is cooling and refreshing, quickly lowering your temperature and fully satisfying your thirst. I tell you there's nothing like it, and I've sworn off all other drinks when on the road." Hire's Rootbeer, carbonated, is made from the famous Hire's Rootbeer extract by the same formula, without adulteration of any kind. Besides being delicious it possesses many medicinal qualities, making it as popular with wheelmen and pedestrians as the good home-made Hire's Rootbeer is with the folks at home.

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Boston	25	14	.641	Philada	22	20	.524
Baltimore	23	15	.605	New York	22	21	.512
Pittsburg	27	18	.600	Brooklyn	21	21	.500
Cleveland	26	18	.591	Wash'ton	19	22	.452
Chicago	26	21	.553	St Louis	14	32	.304
Cincinnati	23	29	.515	Louisville	7	35	.167

SATURDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 16; Pittsburg, 6. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 10; Louisville, 8. At New York—Cincinnati, 16; New York, 2. At Boston—Boston, 6; Cleveland, 5. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; St. Louis, 0. At Washington—Washington, 9; Chicago, 3

Eastern League.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Springfield	27	11	.710	Provid'nce	19	18	.513
Wilk'sba'e	24	14	.631	Scranton	15	22	.385
Syracuse	22	15	.594	Rochester	13	29	.309
Buffalo	24	19	.558	Toronto	12	27	.307

SATURDAY'S EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Springfield—Scranton, 10; Springfield, 7. At Providence—Provi-dence, 7; Wilkesbarre, 1.

YESTERDAY'S EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Rochester—Syracuse, 9; Rochester, 8. At Providence—Providence, 9; Wilkesbarre, 0. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 5; Toronto, 1.

Pennsylvania State League.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Hazleton	1	0	1000	Allentown	0	1	.000
Pottsville	1	0	1000	Lancaster	0	1	.000
Reading	1	0	1000	Carbond'le	0	1	.000

SATURDAY'S PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE GAMES

At Hazleton—Hazleton, 2; Allentown, At Pottsville—Pottsville, 11; Lancaster 4. At Carbondale—Reading, 7; Carbondale, 6.

Defaulter Taylor's Movements.

CHICAGO, June 17.—W. W. Taylor, ex-state treasurer of South Dakota, did not put in an appearance at the Palmer House yesterday as was expected. He was in the city, however, for a short time, although his whereabouts could not be ascertained. H. A. Taylor, of Lafayette, Ind., a brother, was at the Palmer. He said his brother did not desire to be interviewed. He would not say where the brother was, but said he would leave for South Dakota during the night. It was reported that Attorney General Crawford, of Dakota, was with Taylor

Both Perish Under the Car.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., June 17.—A distressing accident occurred here when Mrs. Nelson A. Byers, wife of a lumberman, and her 4-year-old grandson were run down and killed by a trolley car. The grandson's name is Nelson B. Allen, and his home is in Buffalo, N. Y. The little fellow was crossing the track in front of a trolley car, when his grandmother ran to save him. She stumbled and fell as she reached him, and both were crushed beneath the car. Since the electric cars began to run here four persons have been killed.

Trustee Duss' Sharp Move.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., June 17.—A rather sharp move has been made by Trustee Duss, of the Economy society, whose case is now in the courts. During the session it transpired that Duss had sold the interest of the society in the Little Saw Mill Run railroad to a coal company for $100,000, and had paid a mortgage against the society amounting to $9,000 with the proceeds. This disposed of some of the most valuable assets for which the defendants are fighting.

A Minister Deposed.

CAPE MAY, June 17.—The Cape May Court House Baptist church, at a congregational meeting, deposed its pastor, Rev. T. E. Richards, for having induced two young women members of the church to follow him in a roving gospel itinerary through the mining region of Pennsylvania against the entreaties of their parents. Rev. Richards has not yet returned, and his wife and children are being cared for by charitable persons.

His Life for a Fishing Line Cork.

FLEMINGTON, N. J., June 17.—While attempting to secure a cork which became loose from his fish line Westcott Carpenter, the 21-year-old son of ex Senator John Carpenter, of Clinton, fell into the Raritan river, and was drowned. Edward Seals, a boy who was near by, caught Carpenter as he came up the first time, crying for help, but was unable to hold the drowning man. His body has been recovered.

Died of His Injuries.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 17.—Andrew Yeomans, who was shot by P. M. W. Baldwin Friday, the 7th instant, died at 12 o'clock last night. He was unconscious for several hours before his death came. The shooting was for alleged criminal relations with Baldwin's wife. Baldwin is a prominent man here, and Yeomans has been boarding with his family.

Got the Drop on His Opponent.

MT. STERLING, Ky., June 17.—At Johnson Station on the Kentucky and South Atlantic railroad, James S. Whitaker met Ned Anderson on the road and put five bullets in Anderson's body, killing him instantly. Whitaker gave himself up. He says Anderson has repeatedly threatened his life.

Fair's Son Brings Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—One of the most important steps in the Fair will contest was taken to-day when Charles L. Fair filed his expected suit against the executors and trustees under what is known as the stolen will

Cured of Headache After Forty years.

SAUGERTIES, N. Y., Nov. 7 1894.

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Since that time I have used it at regular intervals and would not be without it under any consideration.

My headaches used to always return every seventh day, but thanks to Bacon's Celery King, have had but one in the last eleven months. You are at liberty to refer anyone to me for further particulars. Hoping that what cured me will help others. I remain yours truly.

Mrs. John D. VAN KEUREN.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

Three Lives Snuffed Out.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 17.—In the Alden tunnel Thomas Bryan, a miner, and John Rinka, a laborer, were buried by a fall of rock. Several hours' time were required to remove the rock, and then the bodies were found horribly mangled. John Zapka, a Hungarian miner, was crushed into a shapeless mass by the fall of a sulpher bed in No. 6 slope, Glen Lyon.

Silverites in Danger.

LOUISVILLE, June 17.—The Democrats of Kentucky held a series of precinct mass meetings Saturday, and chose delegates to the county conventions to be held this afternoon. Many delegates are uninstructed. The sound money men have shown great strength. The delegates chosen in this, Jefferson county, are nearly all for Clay for governor and for sound money. Many sound money delegates are for Hardin for governor. Both Clay and Hardin expressed themselves as satisfied with the outlook.

Fugitive Farr Captured.

WINNIPEG, June 17.—William Farr, a Canadian Pacific railway engineer, who is charged with attempted cremation of his wife and children, in order that he might marry a well known young woman of this city, has been captured near Vancouver, from where he was about to sail for Australia. Farr escaped from jail here while awaiting trial.

Shot His Father for a Thief.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., June 17.—A probably fatal mistake was made when Charles Jones shot his father, Harvey Jones, for a burglar. They reside at Espy. The young man was awakened by a noise, and taking his gun went down stairs to investigate. On his return he saw a man standing in the room and fired. The latter proved to be his father, who had also heard the noise. The shot took effect in the abdomen.

Nine Killed by Bursting Boilers.

LONDON, June 17.—Nine persons were killed and eighteen seriously injured by a boiler explosion at the Redcar Iron works near Guisborough, Yorkshire. Thirteen out of the fifteen boilers exploded. The masonry was hurled a hundred yards away, and a volume of boiling water a yard deep poured over the workmen. The damage will amount to about $250,000.

Accidentally Shot His Friend.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—While returning from a rifle drill Saturday evening Robert Cummings, 19 years old, was accidentally shot and mortally wounded by Lewis Carlin, 20 years old. Both young men were members of the Third regiment, N. G. P., and had been indulging in gun exercises, when Carlin's rifle, which was supposed to have been unloaded, went off with the above result.

Lice Destroying Wheat.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., June 17.—Reports from some sections of the country say that lice are playing havoc with the wheat crop. A gentleman who owns a farm a few miles north of Allentown says the insects have killed the wheat in some instances for the stretch of a square. In other places the entire crop has been destroyed.

An Italian Girl Commits Suicide.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Josephine Riorda, an attractive Italian girl between 17 and 18 years old, committed suicide at an early hour by swallowing a quanity of oxalic acid. She lived but a few minutes after taking the poison. It is supposed that disappointment in love prompted her to kill herself.

The Decrease in Immigration.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A report from the bureau of statistics shows that the number of immigrants who arrived during May was 40,144 an increase over May, 1894, of about 16,000. During the eleven months ending with May there was a falling off of about 45,500.

Drummer Charged with Embezzlement.

NASHVILLE, June 17.—Mortimer Bartlett, a drummer from Philadelphia, is under arrest in this city, charged with embezzlement. What the amount is is not known.

That Distress

In the stomach or feeling of fulness after eating is effectually prevented by Hood's Pills. They aid digestion and assimilation of food, move the bowels easily and thus prevent and cure Biliousness, Torpid Liver, and Constipation. They are tasteless and do not gripe or cause pain. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents. Insist upon HOOD'S.

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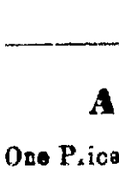

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MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1895.

The names of many candidates for places on the Democratic State ticket are being suggested by Democratic papers in different parts of the State. There is apparently no lack of confidence on the part of Democrats as to their ability to redeem the State from Republican misrule. The increased tax rate will have a sobering effect on taxpayers everywhere and will make them repent of the readiness with which they accepted, last fall, Republican promises of retrenchment and reform.

Clergymen of advanced ideas sometimes take queer themes for their sermons. In the Ainslee Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, the pastor preached on the bicycle as "a blessing in freeing woman from the slavery of skirts and helping her to take a mighty leap toward equality with man." In the Bedford Heights Baptist Church, Brooklyn, the pulpit was adorned with three wheels and the pastor patted them lovingly when he praised bicycling as the "cleanest, sweetest and most beneficial sport of any human kind, and an enemy of drunkenness and a promoter of morai and physical health."

Gov. Morton completed, Saturday afternoon, the consideration of the 448 bills left in his hands at the adjournment of the Legislature. He signed 346 of them; thirty-six city bills failed because of the disapproval or non-action of mayors and sixty-six were allowed to die by the Governor withholding his signature. Governor Morton has made practically no use of the veto power and the result is that more new laws have been added to the statute books than in any one year in the history of the State. The new laws number 1,045, 276 more than last year. Much of this legislation is crude, ill advised and unnecessary and will plague those responsible for it and, worse still, the people of the whole State. A more courageous Governor who would have stood between the people and legislative recklessness and folly could have rendered the State most valuable service.

Among the bills which failed was the one transferring New York city's insane to State care. The Governor filed with the bill a memorandum to the effect, that in view of Mayor Strong's refusal to approve it, he could find no power in the constitution that would warrant him in signing it.

An important measure, and one which is in the interest of the traveling public, was signed, Saturday. It requires railroads over 100 miles in length and which are authorized to charge a maximum fare of more than two and not more than three cents per mile, to issue 1,000 mile books at a price not exceeding two cents a mile. This will force the Erie and Ontario and Western roads to again put on sale the mileage books which were withdrawn not long ago.

In spite of the opposition of the educators of the State, led by Superintendent of Public Instruction Skinner, the Governor signed the bill requiring four lessons a week for ten weeks in the primary, intermediate and high school grades, on the effects of alcohol and narcotics on the human system. This means that a pupil taking the whole course will have had 120 lessons on this subject, which can be and is covered in a score of pages in all text books on physiology. The objection of teachers and superintendents that this amount of instruction on any special topic is entirely superfluous, and that adequate provision was made by existing laws for instruction in this special subject did not count with the Governor as against the pressure from sentimentalists and temperance fanatics.

"Probably the exact sayings of no orator in the country," says the Cleveland *World*, "are more sought for than are those of Gov. McKinley." This is a profound truth which should be supplemented with the remark that up to date none have been found.—*Buffalo Times.*

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"I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and find it to be as recommended. It has helped me very much. I regard it as an excellent medicine for the blood, and recommend it to any one who needs a medicine of this kind." John. W. Cronk, Fort Montgomery, N. Y.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

GONE TO GRAY GABLES.

The President Quietly Leaves Washington for His Summer Home.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, June 16—The President left for Gray Gables, this morning. He was accompanied by Private Secretary Thurber. They left on the regular train in the car of Vice-President Thompson, of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

During his absence the President's announcements of appointments and other matters will be mailed from Gray Gables to the White House and will be made public from there.

JERSEY CITY.—The President arrived here shortly after noon and at once boarded Mr. C. E Benedict's yacht, Oneida. His arrival was not known and there was no demonstration. The Oneida sailed after 1 o'clock.

THE HARLEM SHIP CANAL.

Formally Opened at Noon With Imposing Ceremonies.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Amid the booming of cannon from two of Uncle Sam's warships, the screeching whistles from the river craft and the cheers of thousands of spectators, a flotilla of nearly 200 vessels entered the Harlem ship canal and the new water way was thrown open to commerce at noon, to-day.

MORE SURVIVORS OF THE COLIMA

BY UNITED PRESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Advices from Manzinillo say that two women and one man, survivors of the wrecked steamer Colima, have been found about ninety miles south of that port. Their names have not been learned as yet.

OSCAR WILDE MUST STAY IN PRISON.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, June 17.—The application for the release of Oscar Wilde on the grounds that the indictment on which he was convicted was defective has been refused.

ODD FELLOWS' MEMORIAL.

Graves of Deceased Brothers Decorated And Appropriate Memorial Services Held.

Yesterday was the day set apart by this State for the decoration of the graves of deceased Odd Fellows and the holding of memorial services.

Middletown Lodge assisted by Luther Lodge observed the day. The following gentlemen decorated graves of deceased Odd Fellows in Hillside Cemetry in the morning: Messrs. D. A. Taylor, J. Hirst, J. J. Wood, and E. H. Townsend.

At 3 p. m., memorial services were held at the Odd Fellows' Hall, the lodge room being well filled.

The services were opened by prayer by Rev. F. A. Heath after which there was singing by a quartette composed of Miss Purvis, Miss Lain and Messrs. W. W. Clark and C. H. Brown.

Brief, but appropriate addresses were made by Mr. C. J. Boyd and Rev. Mr. Heath. Miss Lain sang a solo, the quartette rendered another selection and the services were closed by singing the doxology, and a benediction by Rev. Mr. Heath.

The general committee in charge of the affair, was as follows: Messrs. Robert. Lawrence, J. M. Hanford, J. J. Wood, T. W. Davey, and E. B. Quick.

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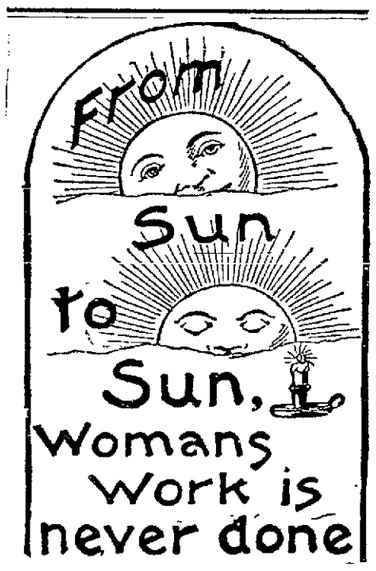

It is a constant round of care and toil from which there is no escape. How essential, then, are health and strength, and yet with how many women these are altogether lacking. They are tired all day and unable to sleep at night. In this conditi the system will soon break down.

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A WIFE'S SHOCKING DISCOVERY.

She Finds Her Husband Dead Upon a Sofa—Alone When Death Came.

Mr. Samuel R. Thompson was found dead at his home on Hanford treet, to-day. His wife had been visiting her brother, ex-Supervisor Seaman, at Monroe, and came home on Erie train 1.

The doors were all fastened but she managed to gain an entrance and was shocked to find her husband dead on the lounge.

Mr. Thompson had been at Godfrey's farm, near this city, and came home, Saturday night. He was heard about the house by the neighbors as late as 1 o'clock in the morning, but was not heard or seen afterwards.

He is survived by his wife and by three brothers, Dr. J. H. Thompson, of Goshen; Albert G., of Circleville, and Harrison, of Wawayanda.

Dr. Mills gave an opinion that death was due to apoplexy and the Coroner granted a certificate.

THE VERY LIGHT HAY CROP.

Not Half an Average Yield from Uplands—Necessity of Planting Forage Crops.

It is now when the mower is at work clipping the grass that it is realized how short the local hay crop is to be. On uplands, the falling off in yield from last season's harvesting is most surprising. One farmer, whose acres are as good as the best, informs the ARGUS he is obtaining not more than three loads where he cut seven, last season, while another farmer says he drew in but one load from a lot which, last year, gave him four. At this rate, uplands will not average more than half a ton to the acre, and this, too, including ground newly seeded.

The lowland crop will also be a short one, there not having been rain enough to even nourish it. Farmers will have to buckle to it and with fodder corn, millet, and such like, make good the shortage in hay, else all their milk money will have to go for forage for their cattle in the close season.

More rain has fallen in other parts of the county than hereabouts, but not enough anywhere in it to make anything like an average crop.

Sent to the State Hospital.

Abram Rockafellow, a young man 20 years old, was sent to the State Hospital last evening. He has been acting strangely for several weeks, and Saturday night amused the occupants of the house in which he was stopping by his shrieks. He showed unmistakeable signs of insanity yesterday and was taken to Thrall Hospital, and on the certificate of the hospital physicians was committed to the State institution.

Found Dead in Her Bed.

From our Otisville Correspondent.

Mrs. Ida Tymeson Andrews, of Otisville, was found dead in her bed at 10 o'clock to-day, by her father, U. J. Tymeson. She retired in her usual good health. It is supposed that she died of heart disease, for which she had been treated of late. Mrs. Andrews was about thirty-five years old.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, June 17 '95.

		Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	—	117⅛	117⅝
A. T. & S. F.	—	10	10⅛
C. B. & Q.	—	85⅝	86
Chicago Gas	—	74¾	74¾
D. L. & W.	—	162⅜	162½
Dis. & Cat. F.	—	19⅜	19⅜
Erie	—	10⅜	10⅜
General Electric	—	36	35⅜
L. & N.	—	68⅞	59⅜
L. S.	—	—	148⅜
M. P.	—	29¾	31⅜
N. Y. & N. E.	—	34⅝	43¾
N. Y. C.	—	102¾	102⅜
N. W.	—	99¾	100⅜
Susquehanna & Western	—	11½	11⅜
O. & W.	—	—	18¼
Manhattan	—	114	116
Southern R'y	—	14¼	14⅜
P. & R.	—	17⅜	16⅝
R. I.	—	72⅜	73⅜
C. M. & St. P.	—	69	69⅛
U. P.	—	—	12⅜
W. Union	—	93½	94
U. S. Cordage	—	12½	1⅜
Nat. Lead	—	36½	36½
July Wheat	—	71⅜	73⅜
July Corn	—	48⅜	49⅜
July Oats	—	29	29
July Pork	—	$12 47	$12 45
July Lard	—	6 62	6 62

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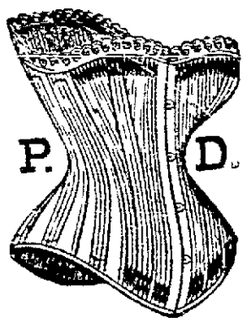

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Fair, warmer; variable winds, becoming southeasterly.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 63°; 12 m., 82°; 3 p. m., 84°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—June 19—Bed Men's picnic, at Maennerchor Park.
—June 23—Excursion to New York and Coney Island, via Erie Railroad.
—June 27—Sells Bros.' circus.
—June 28—Mary Powell excursion to New York for benefit of 1st Congregational Church
—July 4—Trotting at Campbell Track.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Dr. Themine has opened an office at 42 West Main street.
—All wool pants $1.79 at Morris B. Wolff's
—$4.75 a hundred for granulated sugar at C. N. Predmore & Son's.
—Misses' and children's shoes cheap at Geo B. Adams & Co.'s
—Household goods for sale at auction Wednesday.
—"King kash konkerer" See adv. of the Economy Store.
—Negligee shirts 50 cents at Samuel Lipfeld's.
—Special sale of scrim, Thursday, at Weller & Demerest's.
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—Keep cool by wearing hot weather shoes. See adv of the "Hub."
—Special prices, this week, on clothing, at A. J. Cahill's.
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—All kinds of flour, feed and grain at C. J Everson's.
—Building lot for sale by Medrick.
—See adv. of Mills, the druggist.
—See Matthews & Co's adv.
—J. D. Horton invites inspection of his brand new line of dry goods.
—The Middletown Clothing Co tell you how to get a nice new suit for little money

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Drill of Monhagen Hose Company, to-night.
—Regular convocation of Midland Chapter, No. 240, R. A. M., this evening at 7:30. 1-3m
—Don't forget Wallkill Engine Company's lawn party, Wednesday evening.
—Mr. R. B. VanEtten, of Milford, and Miss Lizzie Houck, of Allentown, Pa., both deaf mutes, were united in marriage at Allentown, Wednesday.
—Those who prepare church notices for the ARGUS will confer a favor and insure their insertion in proper form by handing them in before noon.
—Tickets for Wallkill Academy commencement exercises at the Casino, Thursday evening, June 20th, are on sale at H. S. Dusenberry & Son's.
—The people of the North Street church, yesterday, presented their organist, Miss Mary Wilker, with a nice purse of money as a token of appreciation.
—The Ladies Guild of the First Congregational Church will run an excursion to New York, via O. and W. special train and steamer Mary Powell, on June 28th. Fare for round trip $1.25. This will probably be the last excursion of this kind given by societies, etc., as other arrangements have been made by the O. and W. than those now in force after July 1st. It
—When Walden merchants, one day last week, saw fifty-five people learn that village on the early car to take the Powell at Newburgh for a day's shopping in New York, they began to realize that the electric road will be the undoing of Walden as a business place.
—The Newburgh papers protest right vigoriously against the attempt of the Post Office Department to knock the h out of Newburgh. The matter comes up ow because of the refusal of the department to print stamped envelopes unless the h is omitted.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Dayton, of Walden, spent Sunday in town.
—Mr. Nelson Kipp, of Jersey City, is in town visiting relatives and friends.
—Mr. James Mackey, of Port Jervis, was in town, yesterday, visiting relatives and friends.
—Mr. Michael Reagan, of New York spent Sunday at the residence of Mr. Patrick Nevin on Railroad avenue.
—Miss Emma Pierson, of Middletown, is visiting friends in town.—*Walden Citizen.*
—Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davis, of Middletown, made a short visit, this week, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cline-man.—*Walden Citizen*
—Richard VanNess, of Middletown, a former resident of Walden, is visiting friends in town.—*Walden Citizen.*
—Mr. George Carpenter, of Stony Ford, left town on Erie train 5, Saturday, for Dickinson, North Dakota. His brother will follow him in about a month.
—Rev. C H. Park, of Pine Bush, was in town to-day, on his way to Easton, Pa. to attend the commencement exercises of Lafayette College and of the Easton Academy, of which his son, Samuel Park, is principal.
—Mrs. Charles Bell left town this morning for a visit of two or three months among friends in the western part of the state. Mr. Bell has been there for the past two weeks, and it is her intention to give him a surprise.
—Mrs. Patrick Nevin is lying seriously ill at her home on Railroad avenue. Her condition is so critical that special prayers were offered in her behalf at both of the morning services at St. Joseph's Church, yesterday.

GRADUATES AT CHURCH.

REV. DR ROBINSON'S BACCALAUREATE SERMON TO THE CLASS OF 95

A Very Large Audience at the First Congregational Church. Yesterday Morning Elijah and Elisha, Prophet and Pupil, the Preacher's Theme—Earnest Words to the Members of the Class.

The First Congregational Church was crowded, yesterday morning, when the baccalaureate sermon was preached to the graduating class of Wallkill Academy by Rev. Dr. W. A. Robinson.

The platform and desk had been handsomely decorated by the class with palms and laurel.

A fine musical programme was rendered by the choir, which included a violin solo by Miss Lottie Wells and a duet by Mr. Frank Ogden and Miss Cornelia Marvin.

The members of the class, teachers and members of the Board of Education met at the church parlors and entered the auditorium in a body from the chapel and occupied seats reserved for them in the front pews.

Dr. Robinson took for his text the words "And they two went on," from the 6th verse of the second chapter of Second Kings.

The two referred to in the text were Elijah, the prophet, and his pupil and successor, Elisha. They were on the way to the place of Elijah's translation and Elisha's endowment for his work, as the successor of Elijah.

These two men represent truths, teaching lessons important for us in shaping our character for life; that we have need in shaping the character and conduct of life to receive the divine disclosure of their meaning. The prophet's office is to bring to us the divine idea of life. In science, politics, religion, and social and personal affairs, there is a higher or prophetic side, and a lower or ignoble side.

The prophet represented the inspired side of life. Elisha as his pupil was the faithful and devoted follower of the great prophet. He had separated himself with the supreme purpose for this life and showed remarkable perseverance in holding to his chosen course. He illustrates a spiritual estimate and use of opportunity.

These ideas illustrated for us by these two men, teach for us the lesson that the way of true progress requires a leadership embodying such qualities as are here illustrated by Elijah and a following such as is here exemplified in Elisha. The true leader for each one of us must be in a high sense a prophet; each of us must personally and perseveringly separate himself to this divine leadership if he would be true to his calling and the better possibilities of life.

In closing the sermon the preacher said:

"Let me not fail to say as clearly and as earnestly as I can that the true Leader for your life and mine is the Great Prophet, who is also priest and king, Jesus Christ, the Savior."

Then addressing the graduating class he said:

And now, young ladies and gentlemen of the graduating class, with inspiring thought of the true consummation of life, I know no message more important to repeat to you than the truth which our theme this morning has emphasized. As you stand here before me and this congregation in your bright young manhood and womanhood, with the opportunities of training and culture that have been yours only serving as the preparation for your continued growth and usefulness if you are faithful to your privilege, the vision rises before me of what you shall be and do if true to the better leadership in your life. I cannot cast the horoscope for the future of any one of you. No mortal can do that. But I can assure you that choosing and keeping the companionship of the true Prophet-Leader of your life, you will each be led in the path of truest welfare and to the noblest and most abiding success. In lifting before you thought this duty and privilege of your being, and bidding you to go forward in closest fellowship with him,

"I give you the end of a golden string,
Only wind it into a ball,—
It will lead you in at Heaven's gate
Built in Jerusalem's wall."

There are and will be voices and influences enough that will seek to beguile you from separating yourselves unto this voice and influence of Him who is the true Prophet Master of all inspired and inspiring life. There will be unnumbered lower seductions trying to hinder you from being persistent and faithful in following loyally with Him in the path He marks out for you. But with heartfelt earnestness and solemnity I urge you as the word I would speak to you, to-day: Cleave fast to Him as the guide of your life and your lifework. May it be true of each of you now and forever, that you and He are in chosen and closest fellowship,—that you two,—the learner and the Holy Teacher, go on together.

Each of you in that companionship may say with confidence:

"So shall it be at last, in that bright morning,
When the soul waketh, and life's shadows flee;
Lord, in that hour, fairer than daylight dawning,
Shall rise the glorious thought,—I am with thee."

Dear young friends, as I think of what it signifies of blessing and promise for you to choose the fellowship of the True Master, and listen attentively to His prophet voice of guidance and inspiration, I would adapt to my use the stimulating words of Emerson:

Be of good cheer, brave spirit; steadfastly
Serve that low whisper thou has heard; for each
By constant service to that inward law,
Is weaving the sublime proportions
Of a true monarch's soul Beauty and strength.
The riches of a spotless memory,
The eloquence of truth, the wisdom got
By searching of a clear and loving eye
That seeth as God seeth; these shall be thine
And time, who keeps God's word, brings on the day
That seals the glory of thy destiny.

May God bless you each richly and lead you safely, now and evermore! Amen.

CAUGHT IN A FOLDING BED.

Cries of "Help," "Murder" from the Victim—Released by a Brave Citizen.

Last night the residents of a portion of Washington street were startled by cries of "murder, help," etc., which proceeded from a house on that street.

The Captain of Police happened to be in the neighborhood and thinking some one was being murdered, ran to Fulton street, only a block away, intending to summon the officer on that beat to investigate, but during his absence a neighbor entered the house and following the sound of the cries found that they emanated from a folding bed which had suddenly closed and made its occupant a prisoner.

He was released from his uncomfortable and dangerous position and the facts being explained to the crowd that had assembled they quickly dispersed.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. John R. Tryon.

Isabelle Lee, wife of John R Tryon, died, Saturday morning, at 5.15, at her home near South Centerville of a complication of diseases. She was the daughter of Lewis and Experiance Lee, of Westtown.

She is survived by her husband, by her father, Lewis Lee, of Westtown, one brother, Martin E Lee, and one sister, Frances E. Lee, both of Westtown.

She was a devoted member of the Westtown Presbyterian Church.

Notes of Rector Evans's Sermon.

In his sermon, yesterday morning, Rector Evans, of Grace Church, referring incidentally to Sunday at Midway, said there was a tacit agreement on the part of the Traction Company that the Park should not be given over to Sabbath breakers, and advised that sacred concerts be given there Sunday afternoons.

Alluding to the responsibilities of wealth and recent instances of its use for the public welfare, Mr. Evans suggested that there was an opportunity for some wealthy Middletowner to render the city a great service by presenting it with a new Academy building.

Flower Thieves at Work.

Last night, thieves entered the yard of Mr. Benjamin Hunt on Lake avenue, and stripped the rose bushes of every flower.

Mrs. Hunt had been saving the roses to place on the graves of her mother and babies, and the loss is a great disappointment.

Some neighbors saw and recognized three boys carrying great bunches of roses, who were doubtless the thieves. Mr. Hunt would do an act of justice to the community by causing the arrest of the young scoundrels. A good, wholesome lesson to flower thieves is needed in this town.

The June Circuit.

Nearly all of Middletown's lawyers are in Newburgh, to-day, in attendance on the June Circuit of the Supreme Court, which opened there, this morning, Judge Gaynor presiding. The calendar is an unusually large one, but it is expected that but few local cases will be trie .

A large number of cases are to be brought before the Grand Jury.

A Kingston Motorman Wants $25 000 Damages.

Charles Lynch, a motorman on the Kingston City Railroad, who had his skull fractured when his car ran away on an icy hill last winter, has sued the company for $25,000 damages.

Erie's First Seaside Excursion.

The first seaside excursion occurs next Sunday, via Erie special train both ways. One dollar and a quarter to Coney Island and return and $1 to New York and return. There will be a large crowd but plenty of room. Two trains will be run if necessary.

Attempted Suicide in Jail.

Elmer Hicks was arrested in Newburgh, Friday. He was wanted in Binghamton on a charge of arson and was taken to that city on Saturday. After being placed in jail he attempted to commit suicide by taking morphine, but the doctors interfered and saved his life.

Colored Bicyclists From Newark.

A party of fifteen young colored men of Newark arrived in town, yesterday, having made the entire trip on their wheels. They made a short stop with friends on Fulton street and then started out for the return trip.

The Ladies

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Transferred to the Yard Engine—Visiting Friends—No More Rehearsals—A Church Wedding—Gone to Eastman's College—The Circus—Attended Church in Goshen.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

—Mr. James Haggerty, who has been engineer on the Montgomery Branch train, for some time past, has been transferred to the yard engine in this village.

—Mr. Ezra T. Tuthill, of Carbondale, Pa., is in Goshen on a ten days' visit among friends.

—The regular rehearsals of the Goshen Vocal Society have been discontinued for the summer vacation.

—The Diehl-Murray wedding will take place at 2 o'clock, to-morrow afternoon, in St. John's Church.

—Mr. Norman Potter arrived home, this morning, from a successful fishing trip in Sullivan county.

—Mr. Thomas Robinson started, this afternoon, for Poughkeepsie, where he will take a course in stenography and typewriting at Eastman's Business College.

—Hunting's circus arrived in town, yesterday, and located on Wallace Terrace. A satisfactory street parade was given, this morning. Performances will be given at 2 and 8 p. m

—A large delegation from Middletown attended the Presbyterian Church, last night, and heard an excellent sermon by Rev. R. B. Clark and the beautiful contralto solo rendered by Miss Leverich.

Last Week of School.

This is the last week of school. The regents' examinations held at the Academy, last week, practically completed the work of the year in that institution, and although the school is nominally in session, nothing in the way of systematic work is being done. The class day exercises, to be held Wednesday afternoon, are expected to be of unusual interest and a pleasing programme has been arranged. In the ward schools the annual examinations are being held this week.

An Abandoned Baby Restored to Its Mother.

A babe, which had been abandoned by its mother, Friday, in Newburgh, was, on Saturday, placed in her charge, she having been discovered and arrested. The woman belongs in Walden. The child was born in Albany. She was afraid to return home with it and in a state of nervousness in which she says she did not know what she was doing, she abandoned it. She returned to Walden.

The young woman's name is Fannie H. Vandermark. She is twenty-six years old, and a dressmaker by trade. She is a daughter of Peter Vandermark. She says Frank Morris, who is now in Texas, betrayed her under promise of marriage.

Erie's Port Jervis Ice House on Fire.

About 3 o'clock, this morning, fire was discovered in the roof of the Erie ice house in Port Jervis. The fire had made considerable progress but the firemen, who responded promptly, extinguished the flames after the roof had fallen in and part of the siding had been burned. The fire probably started from a spark from a locomotive.

Picnicking at Midway

Mr. M. W. Jordan and family, of Winterton, some friends from Connecticut, who are visiting them and a few neighbors, are enjoying a picnic at Midway Park, to-day.

Some people are constantly troubled with pimples and boils, especially about the face and neck. The best remedy is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels all humors through the proper channels, and so makes the skin become soft, healthy, and fair.

A Picnic at Midway.

The pupils of the Gate district school picnicked at Midway Park, Saturday. Nearly all the residents of the district attended and a very pleasant day was spent by all.

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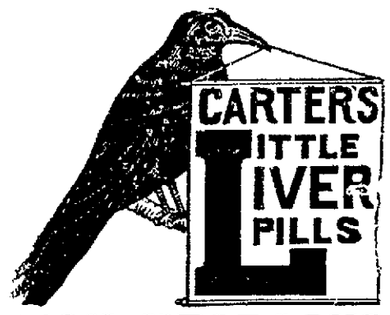

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Professor Sloane's "Life of Napoleon" in The Century describes the masterly Italian campaign, in which Napoleon's military genius first won worldwide recognition. Professor Sloane thus describes the battle of Rivoli:

At early dawn began the conflict which was to settle the fate of Mantua. The first fierce contest was between the Austrian left and the French right at St. Mark, but it quickly spread along the whole line as far as Caprino. For some time the Austrians had the advantage, and the result was in suspense, since the French left, at Caprino, yielded for an instant before the onslaught of the main Austrian army made in accordance with Alvinczy's first plan, and, as he supposed, upon an inferior force by one vastly superior in numbers. Berthier, who by his calm courage was fast rising high in his commander's favor, came to the rescue, and Massena, following with a judgment which has inseparably linked his name with that famous spot, finally restored order to the French ranks. Every successive charge of the Austrians was repulsed with a violence which threw their right and center back toward Monte Baldo in ever growing confusion.

The battle waged for nearly three hours before Alvinczy understood that it was not Joubert's division, but Bonaparte's army, which was above him. In his zeal he then pressed forward on the plateau beneath the height to bring more of his troops into action, and Joubert somewhat rashly advanced to check the movement, leaving the road to St. Mark unprotected. The Austrians, prompt to take advantage of his blunder, charged up the hill, and seized the commanding position, but simultaneously there rushed from the opposite side three French battalions, clambering up to retrieve the mistake. Their physical strength and nervous activity brought them first to the top, and again the storming columns were thrown back in disorder.

At that instant appeared in Bonaparte's rear an Austrian corps estimated by him as 4,000 strong, which, having come down the valley on the left bank, had now crossed the river to take the French right at Rivoli in its rear. Had they arrived but a minute sooner the hill of Rivoli would have been lost to the French. As it was, instead of making an attack, they had to await one. Bonaparte directed a galling artillery fire against them, and thus gained time both to reform his ranks and hold the newcomers in check until his own reserve, coming in from the next hamlet westward, cut them entirely off from the retreating columns of Alvinczy, and compelled them to lay down their arms.

Thus ended the worst defeat and most complete rout which the Austrian arms had so far sustained. Such was the utter demoralization of the flying and disintegrated columns that a young French officer named Rene, who was in command of 50 men at a hamlet on Lake Garda, successfully imitated Bonaparte's ruse at Lonato, and displayed such an imposing confidence to a flying troop of 1,500 Austrians that they surrendered to what they believed to be a force superior to their own. Next morning at dawn Murat, who had marched all night to gain the point, appeared on the slopes of Monte Baldo above the pass of Corona, and united with Massena and Joubert to drive the Austrians from their last foothold. The pursuit was continued as far as Trent. Thirteen thousand prisoners were captured in those two days.

This short campaign of Rivoli was the turning point of the war, and may be said to have shaped the history of Europe for 20 years. Chroniclers dwell upon those few moments at the hill above the plateau of Rivoli, and wonder what the result would have been if the last Austrian corps had arrived five minutes sooner. But an accurate and dispassionate criticism must decide that every step in Bonaparte's success was won by careful forethought and the most effective disposition of the forces at his command. So sure was he of success that even in the crises when Massena seemed to save the day on the left and when the Austrians seemed destined to wrest victory from defeat at the last moment on the right, he was self reliant and cheerful. The new system of field operations had a triumphant vindication at the hands of its author.

The conquering general meted out unstinted praise to his invincible squadrons and their leaders, but said nothing of himself, leaving the world to judge whether this was man or demon who, still a youth, and within a feeble career of but one season, had humiliated the proudest empire on the continent, had subdued Italy and on her soil had created states unknown before without the consent of any great power, not excepting his own. It is not wonderful that this personage should sometimes have said of himself, "Say that my life began at Rivoli," as at other times he dated his military career from Toulon.

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A Wedding That Cost Stuart Robson $5,000.

"I read in the newspapers one morning," says Nat C. Goodwin, "that Lawrence Barrett's daughter had been married, and that among the bridal gifts was a check for $5,000 from Stuart Robson.

"'That can hardly be true,' thought I. 'Robson and Barret are great friends, but Robson would not be likely to give so much money as a wedding present. The newspapers must be wrong.'

"A day or two later I met Robson in Broadway.

"'Look here, old man,' said I. 'How about that gift of $5,000 you are said to have made to Larry Barrett's daughter? Have the newspapers been lying about you again?'

"'Nat,' said he solemnly, 'it's true—true as gospel! Step out here one side, and I'll tell you how it happened.'

"We retired to a convenient corner, and Robson told me the whole story, and it amused me immensely.

"'About two years ago last summer,' said he, 'a young man called at my cottage in Cohasset, bringing a letter of introduction from a friend in New York. I was as cordial as I could be, and the fellow kept calling off and on all summer. He did not interest me particularly, but he was harmless. One day he said to me, "Mr. Robson, that Miss Barrett is a charming girl."

"'"Ah, and so you have met the Barretts, have you?" says I.

"'"I have," says he, "and I regard Miss Barrett as one of the most charming young ladies I ever saw."

"'"She is, my boy, she is!" says I. "Pitch in and win her, and the day you wed her I'll give you $5,000. And here's $1 to bind the bargain."

"'Nat, I pledge you my word I had no idea that anything further would ever come of the matter. My idea was to encourage the fellow to spend his time at Barrett's cottage instead of mine. But he was in earnest, it seems. I used to hear of his being with Miss Barrett a good deal, and occasionally I would see them sauntering along the beach, listening to the music of the sad sea waves. But, as I said, I thought nothing serious of it all, and I forgot all about my stipulation involving the $5,000. So you can imagine my astonishment, my horror, when, about two months ago, that young man turned up at my cottage again, wearing a particularly triumphant smile.

"'"Mr. Robson," said he, "I've done it."

"'"Done what?" says I.

"'"Proposed to her," says he.

"'"Proposed to whom?" says I.

"'"Why, to Miss Barrett," says he, "and I'm going to marry her!"

"'"The —— you are!" says I, for the news fairly knocked the wind out of me.

"'"I am, indeed," says he, and then he reminded me of the promise I had given him about the check. Ye you may not believe it; but, Nat, the fellow had the bad taste to recall that I had promised to give him a bridal present in case he won Larry Barrett's daughter.

"'"My boy," says I as amiably as I could, "Stuart Robson never forgets and he never violates a pledge or a promise!"

"The morning of the wedding I was feeling too indisposed to leave my bed. I had been sitting up too late the night before with a sick friend. So I called my daughter to me.

"'"Alicia," said I, "are you going to the wedding?"

"'"Yes, father."

"'"Then take this check with you," said I. "Be careful not to lose it, and after the wedding hand it to the groom. But, mind you, Alicia, do not give it to him until after the minister pronounces them man and wife, for he might drop dead in the meantime."

"'When my daughter returned that afternoon, I said, "Alicia, is it all over?"

"'"Yes, father."

"'"And did you give him the check for $5,000?"

"'"Yes, father."

"'"What did he do when you gave it to him?"

"'"Father, he cried."

"'I was gratified, I will admit, that my trifling benefaction had touched his heart, yet I was anxious to know the full extent of his appreciation.

"'"He cried, did he?" said I. "How long did he cry?"

"'"Father, I am not sure, but I should say about a minute."

"'"A minute! A minute!" said I. "——," I cried an hour before I signed that check!"'"—Eugene Field in Chicago Record.

Army Intelligence.

An army officer, Captain Poker Chip, who has been dismissed from the army for duplicating his cash account, was seen walking on the street with a lady. Several United States officers of the club saw the couple, and Colonel Mountain Howitzer remarked to Major Blow:

"I can't comprehend how Poker Chip has the cheek to be seen on the streets with a woman who would so far forget herself as to walk out with a man of his reputation."—Texas Siftings.

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Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Keeley Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured. I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful and can fully recommend it.

Yours very truly, C. W. HORNICK.

Rodden, Ill., Jan 14, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mf'g Co., La Crosse Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for thirty-three years and during the past two years have used chewing tobacco very extensively. My nervous system was affected considerable. I have often tried to give up the use of tobacco but always failed until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I used tobacco at the same time while taking "Baco-Curo," and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco—smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health and consider your "Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tobacco habit.

Yours truly, JOHN RODDEN,
Postmaster, Rodden, Ill.

Rodden Ill., Jan 15, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have used chewing tobacco very extensively the past thirty years. I tried so-called 'No-To-Bac" and other remedies, but without success until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I continued chewing tobacco while taking the preparation and find that the horrible craving for tobacco has left me, and I consider myself cured. I can fully recommend 'Baco-Curo" to any person wishing to break themselves of the tobacco habit.

Yours very truly, D. S. WHITE.

Independence, Wis., Jan. 28, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., LaCrosse, Wis.

Gentlemen—Last summer I furnished Mr James Reid, of the town of Burnside, Trempealeau Co., with three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." He had chewed tobacco for over forty years and the last year used over sixty-five pounds. He commenced using "Baco-Curo" and one box did not have the effect, when he had used about one-half of the second box, he began to lose his taste for tobacco, and when he had used one-half of the third box he had lost all his appetite for it, and is now entirely cured.

Yours truly, J. C. TAYLOR, Druggist.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer of Atlantic County of Cass, State of Iowa, having been an inveterate smoker of tobacco, bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo" Dec. 21, 1894. Began taking same according to directions and can say that I am completely cured of the tobacco habit. "Baco-Curo" is simply wonderful and I recommend it to all who are slaves to the tobacco habit and wish to be cured. I am in perfect health and have not felt so well in years. That terrible craving, which every tobacco user has more or less, has completely disappeared and I feel like a new man. Hoping that this may do some one good and lead them to try this wonderful remedy, "Baco-Curo," I remain, Yours truly.

WM. S. SAWYER, Atlantic, Iowa.

Clayton, Nevada Co., Ark., Jan. 28, 1895.

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Gentlemen—For forty years I used tobacco in all its forms. For twenty-five years of that time I was a great sufferer from general debility and heart disease. For fifteen years I tried to quit, but couldn't. I took various remedies, among others "No-To-Bac," "The Indian Tobacco Antidote," "Double Chloride of Gold," etc., etc., but none of them did me the least bit of good. Finally, however I purchased a box of your "Baco-Curo" and it has entirely cured me of the habit in all its forms, and I have increased thirty pounds in weight and am relieved from all the numerous aches and pains of body and mind. I could write a quire of paper upon my changed feelings and condition.

Yours respectfully, P. H MARBURY,
Pastor C. P. Church, Clayton, Ark.

WHAT MR. KRAEMER SAYS OF "BACO-CURO."

ATLANTIC, Iowa, Feb. 4, 1895.

This is to certify that I, F. D. Kraemer, of Atlantic, Iowa, was an inveterate smoker of cigarettes for more than two years.

About eight weeks ago I bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo." I began taking it according to directions, and after taking one and one-half boxes, all the desire for cigarettes left me, and I have had no desire since.

I can heartily recommend "Baco-Curo" to all who are slaves to the cigarette habit or tobacco habit in any form, and are in search of a cure. I had become so under the influence of cigarettes, I could not remember anything; could not study, unless under the influence of the drug, which is death in the end, if kept up.

Cigarettes are sapping the lives out of more boys and young men to-day, than anything that is known to the world. Boys, before it is too late get some of this remedy that killed the craving for cigarettes in me and save your young life. Restore yourself to manhood. You will feel as though you had escaped an awful doom, and you have, when cured by "Baco-Curo," for you feel like a new being. I never felt better in all my life than at this present writing. I did not know what was the matter with me, until informed by the agent. He told me what was the reason I could not do anything unless under the influence of the death-dealing poison found in cigarettes. I did not believe him at first, until he explained the action on the system. Then bought the goods and thank God and all concerned, I am a sound person to-day. Hoping that this may reach the unfortunate cigarette smoker, I remain, Yours respectfully,

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DANGERS OF THE SEA.

HURRICANES AND TIDAL WAVES MAKE HAVOC ON THE PACTOLUS.

Masts Gone, Decks Swept Clean—A Comber Drove Two Boys Through a Stout Partition, but Couldn't Kill Them—Woman on Board—No Lives Lost.

When the American bark Pactolus left Singapore for New York 114 days ago, she was as trim as any of the deep sea ships in the China trade. But when she arrived a few days ago she was battered and squat, a wreck aloft and all sprung about the bows. Half of her spars were lost, the stem gaped from the planks, her boats had gone by the board, and only a few planks were left of the original forward deckhouse.

It was a combination of Indian ocean hurricane and tidal wave, a mixture of wind and water, that put the Pactolus in this plight. The bark had fair weather down the Indian ocean until Jan. 29, when a gale came on from the northeast. As it veered around to the southward the wind grew in force, and before long it was blowing a hurricane. With the shifting of the wind the sea arose to tremendous heights and beset the bark on all sides. Wave after wave broke on board until the bark was half drowned in a lather of foam, and the best that Captain Watts could do was to hold the craft head to on the shifting blasts and hope for a milder breeze. Mrs. Watts, who accompanied him, lay down below and tried not to be afraid.

Along toward 11 p. m., when the bark was staggering under bare poles, one squall fiercer than all the rest cracked down on the ship. For a moment the bark hove almost hard down, and then the spars, unable to stand the strain, snapped off like straws and tumbled by the board.

First, with a roar, the fore topgallant mast broke off at the heel and fell far to leeward, and directly after it went the main royal, both with all the gear and yards attached. The fore topgallant mast fell far clear of the ship, but a tangle of rigging dragged it back again in toward the broad bilge of the Pactolus. Then as the giant seas sent the bark swaying up and down the ragged end of the spar ground away at her side. Before the rigging could be cut away it ripped a slice of copper off the bilge and was gnawing a hole in the bark, when the crew, at the risk of their lives, sent it adrift.

All through this time the ship was buried in foam and staggering under a main spencer no larger than the sail of a yacht tender.

This hurricane died away, but there was a continuation of unsettled weather. The barometer in the captain's cabin began raising high jinks on Feb. 11, and with the veering of the wind another hurricane came on out of the northeast. The ship lay to under bare poles, as before, and by the time night fell was buried fore and aft in seas that raced almost masthead high up against her sides and broke with fierce cannonades across her decks. It was impossible to stand on the after deckhouse, and all hands were lashed down to save them from the seas.

Toward midnight out of the gloom there arose a great wave, crowned with a crest of roaring foam. It swept down on the helpless craft and crashed upon her deck. For an instant, they say, she trembled with a mighty throe fore and aft, and then, with the rending of timbers and the roar of the flood, the bark squatted in the seas until she was awash as high as her rails. In its course toward the stern of the bark the sea first cracked the great beam of the bowsprit, then tore the iron stanchions along the fo'castle head and broke up against the forward deckhouse.

In the house were the Chinese cook and the two ship's boys, Alf Arculeer and Mountain Hayes. One of the boys was in his bunk, the other standing up. The sea, hurling itself against the side of the deckhouse, crashed in the wall, swept one boy out of his bunk, and, with the other floundering after him, sent both head over heels through the partition into the cabroom. There the sea broke through another partition, and still with it went the boys.

As they were thrown through the partitions with splinters and wreckage they gave themselves up for dead. The sea broke through every window and all but one door in the house and went rushing aft. In its flight it swept everything out of the galley and the carpenter's cabin, swept out the chest of tools, the cooking utensils, pots and pans of bread and beef, and with this wreckage in tow went overboard through the scuppers.

A part of the cataract crushed the three boats into kindling wood, carried them away and then tore the bridge leading to the roof of the deckhouse into a tangle of wood and twisted iron, in which form it went after the boats.

The sea swept down into the fo'castle and washed two seamen out of their bunks. They clambered on deck, where the rest of the ship's company was wondering whether the bark was alive or not.

The ship was held on her way, and all hands began reckoning up the damages. Not even the two ship's boys were more than bruised about the body, and as lively as ever they turned about to do their share.

"Chips," the carpenter, whose real name is Robert Isbister, was mourning the loss of his tools, but when the gale moderated he went over the side in a sling and looked for outboard damage. With scraps of canvas and nails he stuffed the sprung stem piece so that the salt water would not imperil the ship and cargo. There were not enough spare yards to go about, so he took one yard which was broken in two and spliced and scarfed it with another yard, so that it served to hold sail. And so under this makeshift rig, and a clever rig it was, the bark Pactolus came to port, making fair time at that.—New York World.

Great Courtesy.

Mme. Calve had an experience with the courtesy of the Spanish thieves once while she was in Madrid. Two well dressed strangers stole her satchel, which contained some money and a number of luck pieces and talismans, including a bunch of dried flowers from her father's grave. The loss worried the artiste, but when the newspapers reported the theft the thieves sent her the precious relics neatly inclosed in a packet, in which was a polite note begging that the "finder" of the reticule might be permitted to keep the money as a souvenir of so charming a vocalist. —New York World.

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TIME TABLES.

MIDDLETOWN TIME TABLES.

Erie Railway.

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Nos	James St Sta.	Main St. Sta
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* 10 New York Special	6 01 "	
26 Middletown Way	6 54 "	6 36 a.m
16 Orange Co Ex. G M	7 10 "	7 12 "
28 Mountain Ex., T	8 23 "	8.25 "
38 Del. Val. Ex. (M P G.)	10.45 "	
* 6 W Mail, (G. except Su)	12.55 p m.	1.00 p.m
30 Way, T. M. P. G	4 13 "	
* 2 C. & G. T. Ex	5 05 "	
* 8 C. & St L. Limited, T.	7 12 "	
22 P. J Local	7.27 "	
* 14 Wells Fargo Express	10 40 "	
*606 P. J Local (Sun only) M. P and G. T	8 23 a. m.	
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* 21 Port Jervis Way	10 39 "	10 35 a.m
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11 Port Jervis Local	1 04 p m.	1.01 p m
33 Port Jervis Exp	3 40 "	3 37 "
* 5 C. & St. L. Exp	5 02 "	
27 Mountain Exp	5 40 "	5 36 "
13 Orange Co. Exp	6 50 "	6 45 "
25 Middletown Way ar	8 05 "	8 03 "
* 7 C. & G. T Exp	9 00 "	
29 Emigrant	9 40 "	
* 3 Chicago Exp	11 12 "	
601 Sunday Local	10 13 a. m.	
625 P. J. Way (sun only)	3.19 p m	
617 " " "	10 29 "	

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chamber street, New York, at *4 15, 7 45, *9 00, 9 15, 10.30 a. m.; 1 00, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, *7 00, 7 00, *8 45, p. m. Also additional Sunday trains at 7.45, 12 30 and 7.00 p. m.

Crawford Branch.

GOING NORTH.

No	Leave for	James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta
*101	Pine Bush Mail	11 35 a.m.	11 40 a.m
*115	" " "		6 55 p.m
Sundays only		11.05 a.m.	11.10 a.m

COMING SOUTH

*128	Arrive from Pine Bush	8.13 a.m
*130	" " " "	6.56 p.m

N. Y., O. & W. R. R.

NORTH.

Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot, Middletown, as follows:

Milk for Norwich	7.42 a.m
Second Milk to Walton	8.45 a.m
Ontario Day Express and Mail	10.55 a.m
Sullivan Co. Express	6 10 p.m
Pacific Express	6.52 p.m
Local Freight and Passenger	11.00 a.m

SOUTH.

Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot for New York as follows, Main street two minutes later:

Atlantic Express	8.25 p.m
Vestibule Limited	7.55 a.m
New York Day Express	4.90 p.m
Milk	6.45 p m
Second Milk	7.40 p.m
Local Freight and Passenger	2.30 p m

Trains leave New York at 3.30, and 7.40 a.m. 3.00 and 3.45 p. m.

J. C. ANDERSON, Pass. Agt.

N. Y., S. & W. R. R.

Trains leave Main street depot at 6.30 a. m. and 1 a m and 4.46 p. m. Arrive 12.04 3.10 and 7.45 p.m.

NEW YORK ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY

Time Table Taking Effect May 19th, 1895.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 * Milk	1 On't Day Exp	7 Sull Co Exp	5 * Chicago Lmt
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3 30	7 40	3 00	3 45
W. 42d St.,	3 45	7 55	3 15	4 00
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	3 30	4 20
Cornwall	5 10	9 45	5 00	5 55
W Cornwall	16 22	19 53	5 05	
Orr's Mills	16 25	19 55	15 10	
Little Brit'n	6 41	11 05	15 23	
Burnside	7 00	11 16	15 34	
Campbell H.	7 11	10 22	5 40	6 25
Stony Ford	7 21	11 27	15 44	
M'town Main St.	7 47	10 43	5 58	
M'town ar	7 50	10 45	6 00	*6 42
M'town lv	8 45	*10 55	*6 10	6 52
Winterton	9 13	11 09	6 25	
Bloom'gb'gh	9 27	11 15	6 33	
Wurtsboro	9 33	11 19	6 34	
Summitville	9 48	11 30	6 45	
Ellenville ar	10 15	11 50	7 05	
Fallsburgh	10 45	12 05	7 20	
Hurleyville	11 00	12 12	7 27	
Liberty Falls	11 15	12 22	7 38	
Liberty	11 30	12 29	7 43	8 04
Liv'gst n M'r	12 00	12 53	8 08	8 26
Rockland	12 15	1 08	8 20	13
Hancock Jct	1 20	2 00	27	9 16 A M
Walton	2 15	2 45	12 45	9 50 8 05
Delhi ar	p m	3 25	11 20	
Sidney		3 40	4 15	10 32 9 02
New Berlin	49		41	
N'rwich lv	A M 7 00	4 21 A M 7 30	6 15 P M	11 15 9 57 11 20 10 02
Oneid' Castle	11 15	6 10 9 10		A M
Oneida ar	11 2	6 15 9 15		12 40
Oneida lv	12 35	6 20 9 25		
Fulton	5 05	8 13 11 28		2 00
Oswego ar	6 00	8 35 11 50		2 20
	P M	P M A M		A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	42 Norwich Exp	14 Delhi Ex	50 Loca	2 Day Exp	10 Milk *	28 Mixed
Oswego lv	P M 12 25	P M 2 25	A M 7 00		A M 6 45	A M	A M
Oneida ar	2 02	5 05	12 35		8 46		
Oneida lv		5 15	1 10		8 56	8 40	
Oneid' Castle		5 22	P M 1 15		8 53	8 43	
Norwich ar	3 25	7 15	6 43 6 15		10 37	11 28	
Norwich lv	3 30	P M 6 47	P M 10		42 11 33		6 55
New Berlin							
Sidney	4 30	12	7 50		11 40	12 55	9 40
Delhi lv		P M			11 00		
Walton	5 00	12 15	8 43		*1237	2 45	11 23
Hancock Jct	5 35	1 30	8		1 20	3 35	A M
Rockland		2 38	5 35		2 10		
Liv'gst'n M'r	6 32	3 00	5 50		2 25	4 50	
Parksville		3 16	6 02		2 33		
Liberty	6 54	3 35	6 17		2 51	5 20	
Liberty Falls		3 41	6 21		n2 56		
Hurleyville		4 04	6 31		3 06		
Fallsburgh		4 19	6 39		3 14	5 44	
Centreville		4 40	6 46		n3 20		
Mountain D.		4 50	6 52		n3 25		
Ellenville lv			6 45		3 10		
Summitville		5 15	7 10		3 45	6 15	
Wurtsboro		5 25	7 18		13 52	6 24	
Bloom'gb'gh		5 32	7 22		3 57		
Winterton		5 40	7 28		n4 02		
M'town ar		6 05	7 48		4 20	7 15	
M'town lv		6 45	7 55		*4 30	7 40	
M'town Main St.		6 47	7 57		4 32		
Stony Ford		7 15	8 11		14 46		
Campbell H.		7 30	8 17		4 52		
Burnside		7 38	8 22		14 57		
Little Brit'n		7 59	8 33		15 08		
Orr's Mills		8 15	8 43		15 19		
W Cornwall		8 20	8 45		15 21		
Cornwall	9 08	8 30	8 53		5 32	8 47	
Weehawken	10 30	11 00	10 25		7 06	11 06	
New York W. 42d St., N. Y.,	10 40	11 15	10 40		7 16	11 17	
Fkln St ar	10 55	11 30	10 55		7 32	11 32	
	P M	P M	A M		P M	P M	P M

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

† Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

¶ Stop for meals.

Trains leave Hancock Junction 6.00 a. m. and 2 05 p. m., for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10 55 a. m. and 3 25 p. m. for Hancock Junction.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 50 and 11 30 a. m., 3 50 and 5 45 p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6 45 and 10 50 a. m., 3 10 and 5 30 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a. m., 4 00 p. m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 9 15 a. m., 2 45 and 5 50 p. m.

or further particulars see local card.

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For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—Gate Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets
41—Fulton street and East avenue
42—Academy and Houston avenues
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Spague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.
38—Fairview avenue and South street.
21—Rung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.
1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2 2—2 8 rokes of bell denotes Ch ef's call,
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time
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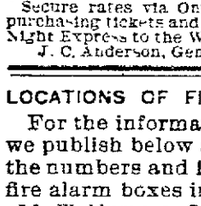

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 9TH, 1895.

Eastern Time.	17	21	1	22	9	11	2	30	8	33	6	38	28	26	16	27	7	25	15	5	12	10	26	16	28	38	6	30	8	2	22	14	24	34	18

HEIRS TO A FRENCH ESTATE.

Mrs. H. H. Robinson, of Goshen, Interested in a Big Will Contest.

Four years ago a cousin of Mrs. Robinson, wife of Dr. H. H. Robinson, of Goshen, died in Paris, leaving an estate of several million of dollars. He was a bachelor. He left a will making a resident of Paris the principal legatee to the exclusion of relatives. This will the American heirs have contested and thus far the findings of the courts have been in their favor. The matter is to have a final settlement in the U. S. Supreme Court.

In the event of a decision favorable to the contestants, Mrs. Robinson will receive a large share of the estate.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS AT PINE BUSH.

Large Attendance and Much Interest Manifested,

The evangelistic services, which began in Pine Bush, Sunday of last week, are very largely attended and much interest it manifested. The meetings are conducted by Rev. Ralph Gillan, of Malden, Mass., and the music is in charge of Mr. Hollis, of Indiana. The meetings are held in a large tent and yesterday afternoon, a meeting for women was held in the Presbyterian Church, the meeting in the tent being for men only. The attendance last evening was very large. it being estimated that at least 1,000 persons were gathered in the tent, while several hundred were gathered around it. The meetings have been productive of good results, a number having professed a desire to lead a christian life. The meetings will be continued, afternoon and evening, until Thursday night.

THE APPROPRIATION ELECTION.

The Several Items Which the Taxpayers are Asked to Vote Upon.

As this Republican Common Council desires only readers of Republican newspapers to be kept posted in regard to official business and has violated the spirit of the charter by designating two papers of the same political party to do the official advertising, the ARGUS will try to keep its readers posted. We will publish free every day from now until the appropriation election, on June 19th. the following list of appropriations upon which the taxpayers have the right to vote:

Permanent Street Improvement	$7,500
Ward Hospital	1,2 0
New truck for Excelsior H. and L. Co.	1 500
Winding town clock (without striking)	100
Annual fire department parade	700
Gen Lyon Post G A R	50
Capt Jackson Post, G. A. R	50
Total	$11,750

Battalion Drill on Hospital Grounds.

The 5th Separate Company, of Newburgh, will visit this city, Wednesday, and in the afternoon, together with the 24th Separate Company, will hold a battalion drill on the hospital grounds.

The companies will leave the armory in three company battalion formation at 1 30 o'clock. After the drill the battalion will return to the armory and at 7 o'clock the 24 h will escort the visiting company to the station.

Trout Fishermen Have Poor Luck.

With scarcely an exception those who have tried their luck in Sullivan county trout streams, this season, have returned with empty baskets. Skill seems to count for nothing for there are few trout in the streams. The generally accepted explanation is that the great freshet of last spring killed or swept away the trout. It will be necessary to restock the streams before the fishing in them will again be good.

Norwich's Baptist Church Troubles.

The new Board of Trustees of the Norwich Baptist Church, while professing a willingness to arbitrate all matters in dispute with the old Board, objects to the arbitrators proposed and suggests that each choose two arbitrators who shall chose a fifth one. This probably ends the arbitration scheme and the fight will go on until there is nothing left of church and congregation worth fighting over.

A Plucky Boy

A ten-year-old boy named Hutchinson fell from a cherry tree in Port Jervis, Friday, and broke the bones of both of his arms. After a physician had reduced the fractures—three in number—the boy smiled and said: Why, doctor, that didn't hurt much."

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BRIDE OF A FEW DAYS ELOPES.

And After a Short Chase the Husband Decides to Let the Other Fellow Have Her.

Elijah Simpson, of Kingston, who has been employed in Clinton Corners, Dutchess County, for several months, and Lulu Todd, a handsome girl, nineteen years old, who lived at Clinton Coners, were married June 4. Last Monday Mrs. Simpson developed an affection for a young man named John Quick.

The bride met Quick two or three times at the home of Alexander Decker, in Stissing, Dutchess county, and last Thursday she eloped with him. They went to Poughkeepsie, and from there took a train to New York.

Mr. Simpson followed them a few miles by train, and then concluded to return to his home in Kingston and let Quick have the women.

WILL NOT APOLOGIZE.

A Fishkill School Teacher Who Thinks an Apology is Due to Her.

The row precipitated in the teachers' institute at Matteawan, last month, by the conductor, Prof. McLacklan, losing his temper and ordering Miss Mina J. Emerson, of Fishkill, to leave the room because she whispered while he was lecturing, continues to disturb educational circles. The State Superintendent has written Miss Emerson saying that he is satisfied she intended no disrespect to Mr. McLacklan and asking her to to so write the conductor, in which event the department will deal leniently with her. Miss Emerson says she will write no such letter. She thinks that if any apologies are to be made they are due from Prof. McLacklan to her.

HIS HEAD STRUCK A POLE.

A Passenger on a Park Car Leaned Too Far Out and Was Injured.

Yesterday afternoon, as car No. 6 heavily loaded, was running through the glen, Matthew Mason, who was standing on the step and holding fast by the handles, leaned out farther than was necessary and his head came in contact with a pole. He would have fallen had he not been caught by others sitting in the car.

After arriving at the Park it was found that he had received quite a bad scalp wound and was suffering somewhat from concussion but he soon revived and was able to be taken to his home on Prospect street.

It is often necessary when the cars are crowded for people to stand on the steps or wait indefinitely for a car in which there is room to sit down, and while there is room between the poles and the car for persons to stand, there is danger in leaning out as Mr. Mason did, and this fact should be remembered.

Bob Hunting's Circus

The attendance at Hunting's show Saturday night was very large, the tent being crowded to its fullest capacity, The performance gave fair satisfaction although. "Bob," himself, did nothing to amuse the crowd, his only appearance being to announce the concert. Tents were struck immediately after the performance and the circus went to Goshen, where it enjoyed a day of rest and where it exhibits to-day.

Newburgh Wants the Methodist Seminary.

Rev. N. L. Heroy, of Monroe, who was appointed a member of the Educational Committee of the New York M. E. Conference for the year, was in Newburgh, Saturday, on business connected with the proposed Methodist seminary. The *Journal* at once jumps to the conclusion that the Seminary will be located in that city or at least ought to be.

Journalistic Notes.

—Mr. James B. Sanford, son of Prof. H. R. Sanford, who has edited and published the Peabody, Mass. *Advertiser*, for several years, and who has made the paper a great success, bought the Peabody *Press* and job printing plant, when it was sold at mortgage sale, Tuesday, and has consolidated it with the *Advertiser*.

—The Rome *Daily Sentinal*, one of the best and most enterprising papers in central New York has reduced its price to two cents a copy, forty cents a month or $4 a year. The only cheap thing about the *Sentinal* is its price, which is now so low that no resident of Rome or its vicinity can afford to do without it.

Recorder's Court

—Wm. Strong, a sixteen-year-old colored boy, was arraigned before the Recorder, this morning, on the charge of using insulting language to the wife of Prof. Henderson. The hearing was adjourned until 9 30 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

—An old offender was charged with disorderly conduct and demanded a hearing which was postponed until 9 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

Strawberries and Cream.

The Young People's Union of the First Baptist Church will hold an ice cream and strawberry festival, Tuesday evening, June 18, in the lecture room of the church. Proceeds to be added to the organ fund.

Boils, carbuncles and all eruptive diseases, yield readily to the healing influence of Page's Climax Salve Always keep a box in the house.

ARRESTED FOR STEALING A RIDE

A Middletown Boy in Durance Vile for Jumping on a Hudson River Train.

A son of James Haley and two or three of his companions left town, one day last week, without letting their friends know where they were going. Yesterday all of the boys except young Haley returned to this city and informed the father of the latter that he had been arrested at a small station on the Hudson River road, a few miles this side of Albany, for jumping on a moving train and was in durance vile. The other boys were as guilty as he but managed to escape arrest.

Mr. Haley is making an effort to save his boy from the punishment that is usually imposed for such an offense.

MOUNTAIN DALE.

A Mass Meeting—Children's Day—To Summer Here—Personals.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The mass meeting which was held at the residence of Frank Morris, recently was quite largely attended.

—Mrs. Friend Couch, of Middletown, visited relatives here, Tuesday.

—A gang of masons from Jersey have been working at the Park House.

—Children's Day was observed in all the churches throughout this vicinity.

—Strawberries are ripening very fast.

—Mrs. Fannie Atwell, of Newburgh, has arrived to spend the summer among her many friends and relatives at this place.

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Of Hood's Sarsaparilla wins friends wherever it is fairly and honestly tried. To have perfect health, you must have pure blood, and the best way to have pure blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and strength builder. It expels all taint of scrofula, salt rheum and all other humors, and at the same time builds up the whole system.

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NO SECRET

IN THIS WOMAN'S CASE.

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Of the thousands of letters received from women all over the world by Mrs. Pinkham, not one is given to the public unless by the wish of the writer. Thus absolute confidence is established between Mrs. Pinkham and her army of patients; and she freely solicits a letter from any woman, rich or poor, who is in ill health or ailing.

In the case of Mary E. Campbell, of Albion, Noble Co., Ind., her suffering was so severe, her relief so suddenly realized, and her gratitude so great, that she wishes the circumstances published, in the hope that others may be benefited thereby. She says:—

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The Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown.

63 North Street, Next to Postoffice.

SPECIAL ONE WEEK SALE IN

Art Squares and Mattings.

One week only, June 17th to 22d inclusive. During this sale you will have an opportunity to inspect our Carpet Stock and note the bargains in that department. Ask to be shown through the trunk department

Matthews & Co, Carpet Bag Factory

Great Summer Bargains at the NEW DEA.

Millinery. Jackets and Capes for ladies misses and children: We will clear, regardless of cost, rather than carry them over. Here we will quote a few of our low prices—Shirt Waists, in all colors, made with yoke and big sleeves, only 29c; Ribbed Vests (good ones) from 5c. up Good Trimmed Sailors from 35c up; Excellent Laundered Waists from 49c up; Wrappers, made well with ruffle over shoulder and Watteau back, only 69c. well worth 98c; Figured Silk Waists $1.98 and up.

We have everything you can think of for ladies, misses and children What you don't see ask for. In Ladies' Duck Suits we can show you a great variety in colors and white. Prices way below zero,

M. KATZINGER, COR. NORTH AND W. MAIN STS.

GRANULATED SUGAR $4.75 A HUNDRED, 32 CTS. 7 POUNDS.

We advise you to buy now. Special—Large bottle Mixed Pickles and Chow Chow for 25 CENTS.

Lunch bottle very small Pickles 10 CENTS. Fou pound extra quality Ginger snaps 25 CENTS

Diamond Medal Flour $4.75 a Barrel.

G. N. PREDMORE & SON,

Grocers and Commission Merchants, corner James and King sts, Middletown

"KING KASH KONKERS" on everything we sell.

Needles 1c paper, Pins 1c paper,
20 sheets Paper 1c, 10 Slate Pencils 1c
25 envelopes 2c, 200 yds Cotton 2c
50 yards Sewing Silk 2c.
Kid Curlers 4 cents a dozen, Steel Curlers 4c.
Bone Hair Pins 5 7 10c a doz.
Tooth Brushes 5, 10, 15c
Windsor Ties 5, 10, 15, 19 24c
Belt Pins 5 8 10, 12c.
Shirt Waist Sets 10 19, 22c.
Silk Belts 12, 15, 24 50c.
Bay Rum 10c a bottle.
Florida Water 19c a bottle.
Crochet Cotton 1½c a ball.
India Linen 6 8 1-2, 10, 14 18, 23c
Dotted Swiss 8 to 35c a yard.
Figured China Silk 18c a yard.

ECONOMY STORE, 114 North St.

A Prominent House

in Brooklyn asserts that they have "the only" Swivel Sinks in Brooklyn. We do not say that, but we do say that we have the best and cheapest line in the city,

AND WE ARE READY

to show them to prove it. Our price is

39 Cents Per Yard.

WASH LACES!

For all summer dresses we recommend the new "Point Arab" Laces. They are the best; all styles.

J. D. HORTON, AGT

Tuthill's Guaranteed Tooth Brushes,

IN 4 OR 5 ROW, AT

25 CENTS EACH.

Large Value in These.

TUTHILL'S PHARMACY, 27 JAMES ST